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FOR SALE BUNGALOW No. 5 North Petty Staff Lines and Bungalow No. 2409 East Street in the cantonment of Poona. Offers to be made to E. S. Duckett East Street Poona, or to HAJI CASSIM LUDHA & Son. Government and Public Auctioners, 30 Main Street, Poona. 3964.

BARGAIN for IMMEDIATE SALE—A new 14-16 H. P. BRITON MOTOR CAR, 4-seated torpedo body with hood and wind screen; 4-cylinders thermo-syphon water-cooled engine with zenith carburretor. Car open to inspection and trial daily from 9 to 6 o'clock at Bombay Electrical Co., 9, Medows Street, Fort.

LATEST MODEL OVERLAND MOTOR CARS—We can OFFER balance of stock at very low prices to clear 25-30 h.p. 4 cylinder, quick detachable rims, fully equipped, silent running, economical upkeep, going at bargain prices. Only a limited number, apply immediately:—

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3993

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TO BE LET a decent COMMODIOUS SHOP in Apollo Bunder formerly occupied by Messrs. M. H. Essack & Coy. next to F. MURAGLIA & COY. to whom apply. Most suitable for Motor Garrage or any other trade. Rent reasonable. 3758

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NOTICES.

BOMBAY CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.

"WARTENFELS" AND "LINDENFELS." CONSIGNORS of cargo per above steamers are informed that the cargo is being discharged and that Government has requisitioned the steamers for conveyance of Government and private cargo to England. Consignors wishing to book any of their cargo by these steamers should apply to Messrs. W. & A. GRAHAM & CO., as Agents for Government in the matter, as soon as possible.

The form of the proposed indemnity bond required by the Collector of Customs can be inspected in the rooms of the Chamber.

In view of the foregoing, the Sub-Committee appointed to deal with the question of these steamers cannot now proceed any further in the matter.

By Order of the Committee,
R. E. GREGOR-PEARSE,
Secretary.
Bombay, 2nd October, 1914. 4022

THE SUN MILLS, LIMITED.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a DIVIDEND for the year ended 30th June, 1914, at the rate of Rs. 7-8 (Rupees Seven and Annas eight) per Share will be paid on production of Share Certificates on and after WEDNESDAY, the 7th October, 1914, at the Registered Office of the Company, No. 42-48, Church Gate Street, Fort, between the hours of 12-0 noon and 3-30 p.m., (Excepting Saturdays when it will be paid between 12-0 noon and 1-30 p.m.), S. T., to those Shareholders whose names stand on the Company's Register on 21st September, 1914.

By Order of the Board of Directors,
BRADBURY, & CO.,
Agents.
Bombay, 30th September, 1914. 4007

NOTICES.

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that Messrs. SARAFALLY MAMOOJI and HASANALLI SULEMANJI the Executors of the last Will and Testament of LOOKMANJI SOOLEMANJI deceased having contracted for the absolute sale of the undermentioned property to our clients all persons having any claim on the said property by way of inheritance, mortgage, gift, sale, lien, lease or otherwise, are hereby required to make the same known in writing to the undersigned at their office No. 48, Meadows Street, Fort, Bombay, within fourteen days from the date hereof otherwise the sale will be completed without reference to any such claims and they should be considered as waived.

DESCRIPTION OF THE PROPERTY.

All that piece or parcel of Quit and ground rent land or ground together with the messuage tenement or dwelling house standing thereon situate lying and being at Dhobi Lane without the Fort of Bombay in the Registration Sub-District of Bombay containing by admeasurement 227. 75 square yards or thereabouts and registered in the Books of the Collector of Land Revenue under Old Nos. 630-630, New No. 6300, Old Survey No. 6003, and New Survey No. 2162 and assessed by the Assessor and Collector of Municipal Rates and Taxes under B Ward No. 735, and Street Nos. 65-73 and bounded as follows that is to say on or towards the East by the house of Haji Esmail Haji Abdulla, Soma Munji and Narayen Maneckji on or towards the West by the said Dhobi Lane on or towards the North by the house of Haji Adam Haji Abubacke and or or towards the South by the house of Dhobi Visram Tricum.

Dated this 2nd day of October, 1914.

Messrs. UNWALLA PEEROZSHAW AND PAPA,
Purchaser's Attorneys.
4019

LOST.

LOST ONE SHARE CERTIFICATE No. 1522, face value, Rs. 250/- in the MYSORE SPINNING & MANUFACTURING CO., LTD., standing in MR VITHAL V. WAGLE'S name. Finder please, communicate with SHANTARAM NARAYAN DABHOLKAR, Choupaty Road, Bombay. 4013

AUCTION SALE.

MEHTA & CO.

ON GOVERNMENT AND G. I. P. RAILWAY LISTS.

53, Medows Street, Fort.
Telephone No. 1285.

NOTICE.

Messrs. MEHTA and Co., Auctioneers beg to inform the public that they will on and from the 6th instant sell Horses, Carriages, Motorcars, Bicycles, at Rampart Row (near the Church and behind the Royal Museum) near the offices of Messrs. VOLKART BROS. ON EVERY TUESDAY, at 2-30 p.m., S. T.

Sale to-day at 2-30 p.m. (S.T.)

AUCTION SALE OF UNCLAIMED PARCELS, LUGGAGE ETC., AT VICTORIA TERMINUS, G. I. P. RY.

THIS DAY SATURDAY, the 3rd October at 2-30 p.m. (S.T.)

Messrs. MEHTA & CO., Auctioneers will sell by Public Auction under Sections 55 and 56 of the Railway Companies Act. No. IX of 1890, at the Victoria Terminus G. I. P. Ry., at the Parcel Office the unclaimed parcels and luggage consisting of piece goods, Pathephones, Old Typewriter, Microscopes Brassware, old clothing and other sundry articles.

A deposit of 50 per cent. cash will be required at the time of sale.

BONA-FIDE SALE.

SALE TO-DAY AT 2-30 P. M.

Messrs. MEHTA & CO., are instructed to sell by Public Auction THIS DAY SATURDAY, the 3rd instant, at 2-30 p.m. (S. T.), at the entrance of Meadows Street, Fort, next to Messrs. Dunett & Co., Saddlers (opposite Messrs. Treacher and Co. Ld.) all the household furniture etc., of a merchant (who is doing away with his business) consisting of tapestry lined drawing room suites of sofas and chairs, single and double almirahs, glass and panel door cupboards, show cases, hatstands, corner cabinets, glass screws, tiled teapoys, marble top centre tables, wall mirror brackets and wall pegs, book cases, English rocking chairs, book case, and easy chair and phonographs, large partition screen, writing and dressing tables, large verandah seats, etc., etc.

The above will be sold to the highest bidder without reserve.

The same is on view.

N. B.—Vendors will not bid directly or indirectly.

WEEKLY SALE.

Messrs. MEHTA & Co., Auctioneers will sell on TUESDAY the 6th day of October at 3 p.m., (S.T.), a lot of furniture and the following at their rooms No. 53 Meadows Street Fort, (next to Messrs. Tarachand Parasram Jewellers).

At 3 p.m. (S.T.) at the Rooms.

A lot of assorted furniture.

A lot of candlesticks by Sherwood and Sons.

A lot of Hink's hurricane lamps.

A quantity of gas fittings and globes &c. several safes by Milner and others.

At 2-30 p.m. (S.T.).

1 handsome strongbuilt rubber-tyred Canoeshaped Landau by Windower.

1 handsome strongbuilt rubbertyred Canoeshaped Landau by Windower 2 wheel cabriolette.

1 handsome waler in harness.

1—2 cylinder, 3 seated 9 H. P. Star Motor Car with hood, lamp &c. complete.

N.B.—Carriages and horses will be sold at the space near the Church behind new Museum on Rampart Row close by the offices of Messrs. Walkart Bros.

MEHTA & Co.
Auctioneers.
Bombay, 3rd October, 1914.

AUCTION SALE.

CRAWFORD & CO.

AUCTIONEERS AND COMMISSION AGENTS.

16, Apollo Street, Fort.
Telephone No. 521.

AUCTION SALE OF LINSEED.

Under instructions from Mr. Tilokchand Kalyanmal and on account and risk of the defaulting purchasers, Messrs. CRAWFORD & Co., will sell by public auction THIS DAY SATURDAY, the 3rd instant, at 3 p.m. (S. T.), at the godown of Mr. Talukchand Mamraj, the Muccadum, situate at Dana Bunder and Doongri.

A quantity of Linseed of the contract of the month of September 1914; in lots of 25 tons each, to suit the convenience of purchasers.

A deposit of 25 per cent. will be required and the balance to be paid on the next day and the goods to be cleared off on the following day after ascertaining the quality, weight and refraction in the goods.

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Under instructions from Mr. Saroopchand Hookmichand and on account and risk of the defaulting purchasers, Messrs. CRAWFORD & Co., will sell by public auction THIS DAY SATURDAY, the 3rd instant, at 3 p.m. (S.T.), at the godown of Mr. Talukchand Mamraj, the Muccadum, situate at Dana Bunder and Doongri.

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WEEKLY SALE.

On MONDAY the 5th instant, at 2-30 p.m. (S.T.), Messrs. CRAWFORD & Co. will sell by public auction at their rooms No. 16 Apollo Street, Fort, the following:—

Furniture such as drawing rooms sets of sofas and chairs lined tapestry, arm and armless chairs, rocking and easy chairs, reclining sofas, marble top round and octagon tables, fancy tiled top teapoys, cloths, baskets, towel horse, bookstands, wall brackets, single and double glass door almiras, side-boards, glassware, crockery ware &c.

By order of the office concerned:—

4 new brand standard visible latest fox typewriters No. 24 complete.

1 handsome typewriter No. 12 complete (a new machine used only for six months).

The property of a European gentleman, proceeded to Europe:—

Tea and Coffee sets table lamps, wine glasses, tumblers, crockery ware, decanters, cruet stands, filter, spoons and forks and dinner sets, flower pots &c.

By order of the office concerned:—

Band instruments such as violin, bugles, obi, clarionet, sex-horn, &c.

By order of the office concerned:—

20 years old chastenut XXX Brandy to be sold in each lot of one case.

By order of B. N. Lang Esq., the official Assignee Bombay, and the Assignee of the estates and effects of the following Insolvents:—

Re:—Ebrahim Ali Mahomed:—

One big lot of Piece-goods such as Chintz printed and coloured sarees, Toos, white nainsooks, white mulls, dhoties, Italian cloth, dorias &c.

Re.:—Ebrahim Haji Arab Khatri:—

1 Bale Piece-goods dyed with indigo.

Re:—Ebrahim Kolah & Co.

4 brass locks.

At 2-30 p.m. (S.T.)

2 Rubber-tyred Victorias.

2 rubber-tyred vis-a-vis.

1 rubber-tyred Brougham.

At 3 p.m. (S.T.)

Several second hand and new bicycles.

CRAWFORD & CO.,
Auctioneers.
Bombay, 3rd October, 1914.

VED & CO.

34, Church Gate Street, Fort.

AUCTION SALE OF SPLENDID FURNITURE AND USEFUL JEWELLERY.

THIS DAY SATURDAY, the 3rd. instant at 2-30 p. m. (S. T.) our Weekly Sale of High Class household furniture, superb almiras, ward-robes, rich velvet drawing room suites, dressing, marble top, office tables, chest of drawers and ladie's writing rocking and office chairs, revolving book cases, dinner wagons, bicycles, crockery ware, fancy teapoys, hatstands, oriental carpets, bicycles, phonographs, pianos, lady's gold watches, pearl bangles, diamond and pearl earrings, nose rings, diamond buttons diamond and emerald rings, gold bangles, chains and studs, silver photograph frames, vases, cigar cases etc., etc.

1 new orand standard visiblo latest fox typewriter No. 24 complete with accessions.

1 bennett portable typewriter by order of the office concerned.

VED & Co.
Auctioneers.
Bombay, 3rd October, 1914.

AUCTION SALE.

BENNETT & CO.

NO. 22, APOLLO STREET, FORT.

AUCTION SALE OF GOLD, DIAMOND AND PEARL ORNAMENTS.

Messrs. BENNET and Co., will, on WEDNESDAY, the 7th inst., sell by Public Auction, at their Rooms, at Apollo Street, at 3-30 p.m. (S.T.), by order of the Pledgee, Mr. Kanji Ranchordas and on account and at the risk of the pledger Mr. Lalji Shivaji, the following:—One pearl necklace of five strings, 4 pearl bangles, pearl raifuls, pearls bedharis, pearl torenmala, pearl vanks, pearl kankanis, pearl chid, pearl zumkha, diamond and ruby bangles, necklaces, diamond ruby galepalo diamond gaji with pearls, diamond and pearl kanta, etc

A deposit of 25 per cent., will be required at the time of sale.

THIS DAY, SATURDAY, the 3rd inst. at 3-30 p.m., (S. T.), Messrs. BENNETT and Co. will sell by Public Auction, at their Rooms a quantity of grey and coloured piece-goods, etc.

AT 2 P.M., (S. T.)

1 second-hand rubber-tyred palanquin office shigram, in good order.

1 second-hand glass-fronted miniature office brougham.

1 handsome strong rubber-tyred vis-a-vis, in very good order with a grey Arab horse, 14-2, 7 years, sound and a set of harness complete.

1 handsome strong rubber-tyred English-built canoe shape victoria, nearly new, in good order.

1 handsome strong rubber-tyred English-built canoe shape vis-a-vis, nearly new, in good order.

1 English-built glass-fronted miniature brougham, in good order.

1 English-built rubber-tyred brougham, suitable for a doctor with a country-bred horse.

By order of B. N. Lang, Esq., the Receiver appointed in suit No. 377 of 1913, Jagonath vs. Jamabai)—

1 tango and one horse.

BENNETT & CO.,
Bombay, 3rd October, 1914.

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MR. H. N. ROBBINS, (*Hon. Secretary*).

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NOTICES.

ELECTION OF A COUNCILLOR TO FILL UP A CASUAL VACANCY IN THE BYCULLA WARD.

THE SAID ELECTION being a Contested Election I hereby publish, as required by Section 27 (2) of the City of Bombay Municipal Act III, of 1888, the names of the persons validly nominated with their respective abodes and descriptions and the names of the persons subscribing their respective nominational papers as proposers and seconders.

No.	Name of the Candidate.	Abode.	Description.	Nominated by	Seconded by
1.	Rao Saheb Manaji Rajuji Kalevar.	120 Kamathipura 3rd Street.	Building Contractor.	Mr. Madhavrao Mahadeo Khandre. Mr. Sorabji Kharshedji Dhondi. Mr. Daji Abaji Khare, B.A., LL.B. Mr. Solomon Moses Vakrulkar, B.A., LL.B. Mr. Joseph Baptista, B.A., LL.B., Barrat-Law.	Mr. Yeshvantrao Shankarrao Kalevar. Dr. Fardunji Nasarvanji Bisni, I.M. & S. Mr. Bapu Narayen Athavale, B.A., LL.B. Mr. Nana Raju Babaji. Mr. Luis Mary Valladares
2.	Mr. Haji Isuf Haji Ismail Sobani.	5 Centre Road, Colaba.	Merchant and Mill-owner.	Mr. Fajalbhai Saidana Abdula Badrudinbhai Saheb. Sir Vithaldas Damodar Thakarsi, Kt. Rev. Father Henry Boose S. J. Mr. S. A. Nathan. The Hon'ble Sir Jamsetji Jijibhai Bart.	Khan Bahadur Mahamad Dayam Hakim bin Hakim Abdula Sha. Mr. Abdeali M. H. Qojiji. The Very Rev. Luis Claudius Pera. Mr. Haji Suleman Abdul Vahed. Jamsetji Ardesar Wadia.

The Poll will be taken on Friday, the 9th instant, from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. (Bombay Time), in booths to be erected at Sankli Street near the Assessment Ward Office, near Byculla Bridge.

Forms of voting papers will be supplied only to persons appearing to be entitled to vote, and each such person will be supplied with one form of voting paper only on his personally applying for it.

The forms will be supplied free of charge on the day of the Poll at the Polling place from 8 a.m. (Bombay Time).

Voting papers signed by persons holding a special or general Power of Attorney under Section 28 (h) of the Municipal Act to represent a Company (other than a Joint Stock Company) or Firm for election purposes will not be accepted unless the Power of Attorney is signed by all the members of the Company or Firm.

In cases where all the members of a Company or Firm are not in Bombay a person holding a power to vote given by the representative of the Company or Firm duly authorised to give such power, will be allowed to vote.

Persons wishing to vote must tender their votes at the table of the particular Polling Officer to whom the reception of their votes will be allotted.

A separate booth for filling in voting papers will be provided, and only the voters wishing to fill in their voting papers will be admitted to this booth. Clerks will be stationed in this booth and they will, if the voters so desire, assist them in filling in their voting papers.

No persons except the voters and the candidates will be allowed to enter the booth where votes are to be recorded.

P. R. CADELL,
Municipal Commissioner,
for the City of Bombay.

Municipal Offices,
Bombay, 2nd October, 1914.

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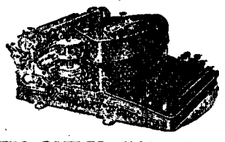

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ALL-INDIA WEATHER.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)
SIMLA, Oct. 2.

The monsoon has been weakened again and little rain has fallen except in Burma and south of the Peninsula. A disturbance has been forming in the Arabian Sea.

The rainfall has been nearly general in north Hyderabad; local in Upper Burma, east Rajputana, Mysore and southeast Madras. A few falls have also occurred in Lower Burma, the hills of the United Provinces, Central Provinces, Bombay Deccan and Madras.

The heaviest amounts are:—Lashio one inch, Maymyo one and half, Myitkyina, Udaipur and Malegaon three quarters, Mysore one and half, Mangalore and Madura two, Kodaikonal one.

Forecast:—No great change.

The Arabian Sea report:—The mail steamer Circassia reports light unsteady winds in the Arabian Sea.

DAILY WEATHER REPORT.

Summary of observations recorded at 8 hours on Friday, the 2nd October 1914, giving data for the preceding 24 hours.

The Punjab.—Skies are clear.

The United Provinces.—Skies are clear. Humidity is normal or in defect.

Sind and Rajputana.—Skies are lightly clouded at Karachi and clear elsewhere. Humidity is normal or in excess.

Gujarat, Kathiawar and Central India West.—Bhavnagar-Para reports 0.19" of rain. Skies are clear in Central India West and north Gujarat and lightly clouded elsewhere. Humidity is normal or in excess. Day temperature is in defect at a few stations.

The Central Provinces.—Chanda reports 0.67" of rain. Skies are clear or very lightly clouded.

The Konkan.—Skies are lightly clouded.

The Bombay Deccan and Hyderabad.—Rainfall has been nearly general in north Hyderabad and local in the north Bombay Deccan; Malegaon has had 0.71", Aurangabad 0.32" and Nizamabad 0.20". Skies are clear or lightly clouded.

General Remarks.—Rainfall has decreased considerably in Malabar being confined to only Mangalore to-day and ceased or been insignificant in Central India West, Gujarat, the Konkan and south-east Madras. It has reappeared in the north Bombay Deccan where it has been local and in north Hyderabad where it has been nearly general. Isolated showers have again fallen in Kathiawar.

A few showers may occur in Malabar and possibly in south-east Central Provinces and on the Coromandel coast.

P. & O. Mail Steamer Report.—S. S. Caledonia which left Aden on the afternoon on the 27th experienced till Longitude 49 deg. E. light north-easterly or easterly wind; till Longitude 55 deg. E. gentle south-easterly wind and swell with occasionally cloudy skies; till Longitude 63 deg. E. variable or northerly light airs or wind with light rain at Longitude 56 deg. and 60 deg. E.; till Longitude 70 deg. E. gentle northerly wind with rain at Longitude 65 deg. E.; till arrival this morning light variable airs or calm with rain at Longitude 71 deg. There appears to be practically no monsoon in the north Arabian Sea.

OBSERVATIONS TAKEN at 8 a.m. on FRIDAY the 2nd of October 1914.

STATIONS.	Temp. in Shade. Maximum of past 24 hours	Temp. in Shade. Minimum of past 24 hours.	Humidity. 8 A. M.	Rainfall. Past 24 hours.	Rainfall. Total 1st June to date.	Variation 1st June to Date
FRONTIER-AREA—						
Bushire	90.3	74.5	83	..	0.00	—0.01
Do. (1st)	93.	81.1	52	..	0.78	0.72
Jask				..		
Muskat	93.7	78.4	22	..	0.53	0.36
Do. (1st)				..		
PUNJAB—						
Multan	101.2	71.7	50	..	9.58	4.85
Rawalpindi	95.7	64.2	62	..	22.98	0.53
Lahore	97.0	70.1	70	..	19.16	4.04
Sirsa	92.7	68.3	53	..	18.26	..
Ambala	94.9	69.3	74	..	33.26	9.79
Delhi		72.1	65	..	29.18	5.70
UNITED PROVINCES—						
Agra	96.0	73.0	57	..	23.92	4.56
Mainpuri	94.3	70.1	72	..	23.92	0.63
Jhansi	96.6	71.6	48	..	24.86	—9.93
Cawnpore	94.4	71.5	64	..	28.33	—4.18
Allahabad	94.4	69.5	61	..	36.15	1.69
SIND AND RAJPUTANA:						
Jacobad	104.7	71.4	32	..	4.43	2.71
Karachi	87.4	77.9	74	..	6.85	0 72
Ajmer	92.6	68.2	74	..	19.74	—0 12
Jaipore	96.2	68.9	57	..	23.97	2 24
Kotah	94.2	71.8	64	..	24.04	—1.78
GUJARAT, KATHIAWAR AND CENTRAL INDIA WEST—						
Bhuj	93.0	69.0	74	..	11.25	—2.46
Dwarka	87.7	80.7	71	..	17 16	3.90
Veraval						
Rajkot	91.1	70.8	85	0.07	34.48	8.90
Bhavnagar Para	90.0	71.6	84	0.19	39.10	19.46
Surat	89.4	70.3	57	..	57.65	18.24
Ahmedabad	91.7	72.7	82	..	39.72	10.89
Deesa	93.2	69.9	77	0.03	26.58	3.38
Neemuch	88.8	65.0	75	..	29.15	2.12
Indore	86.7	69.8	68	..	29 01	—4.78
CENTRAL PROVINCES—						
Jubbulpore	88.0	69.3	64	0.09	47.21	—3.57
Seagor	90.4	68.2	59	..	32.11	—10.27
Hoshangabad	88.7	72.4	81	..	43.88	—1.73
Khandwa	89.5	71.3	71	..	29.43	1.99
Akola	92.9	72.6	70	..	26.64	—1.79
Amraoti	92.6	71.4	78	..	31.83	2.53
Nagpur	92.7	71.8	73	..	39.92	—3.78
Chanda	92.2	71.0	86	0.67	35.74	—12.12
Raipur	90.7	74.6	80	..	41.43	—2.95
KONKAN—						
Bombay	88.7	79.4	87	..	21.28	12.33
Ratnagiri	87.8	77.3	91	0.08	12853	29.66
Marmagao	88.5	77.2	91	..	11266	24.40
Karwar	83.3	74.0	94	..	14405	32.86
BOMBAY DECCAN AND HYDERABAD—						
Hyderabad	90.7	68.1	88	0.71	27.21	8.08
Malegaon	88.8	67.4	71	..	16.74	—1.46
Ahmednagar	88.0	69.9	87	..	29.31	8.42
Poona	93.8	71.9	66	..	24.18	0.87
Sholapur	88.4	71.3	70	..	13.76	—1.27
Bijapur	84.5	65.1	94	0.02	79.09	40.40
Belgaum	89.4	66.8	73	0.32	25.05	0.62
Aurangabad	91.8	70.2	79	0.20	53.58	17.38
Nizamabad (Ind. W.)	90.0	72.2	87	..	39.32	15.02
Hyderabad						
MALABAR COAST AND CEYLON—						
Mangalore	80.5	71.0	80	1.91	134.72	25.38
Calicut	84.4	75.5	91	0.01	92.17	2.96
Cochin	88.8	77.8	87	..	73.90	0.52
Colombo	82.6	73.7	94	2.44	22.24	0.87
MADRAS (EXCLUDING MALABAR) AND MYSORE—						
Masulipatam	93.1	78.2	80	0.01	23 35	—0.28
Bellary	95.8	73.	77	..	11.80	0.78
Guddapah	92.3	74 9	63	..	19.84	—0.17
Madras	91.2	76 3	88	..	19.49	2.97
Bangalore	84.7	64 9	75	..	15.24	—4.64
Coimbatore	89.9	72 3	75	..	2.96	—1.81
Trichinopoly	99 4	76 2	77	..	7.87	—4.04
Madura	94.1	75.9	77	..	11.48	0.55

Messrs. Mackinnon Mackenzie and Company write to the "Sind Gazette" Karachi, October 1:—Until further orders the s.s. Linga with the English mails will not sail for Bombay. The s. s. Dwarka is not expected here from the Gulf to-day and her sailing to Bombay *via* the coast ports on Friday, the 2nd instant, is cancelled.

STANDARD BAROMETER READING.

The following information is published in order that vessels in the Bombay Harbour may be comparison with a standard instrument, ascertain the errors of their barometers:—

The reading of the Standard Barometer at the Colaba observatory corrected for index error and reduced to 80 deg. F. and to the level of the tide, at 8-45 a.m. Standard Time on the 2nd October 1914 was 30.051 inches. For temperature corrections applicable to mercurial barometers of ships the reading of the ship's barometer has to be increased or decreased by 0.13 inch. for every 5 degrees according as the temperature of the attached thermometer is respectively below or above 80 deg. F. In case of the aneroid no temperature or correction is needed. But for comparison at 80 F. all aneroid reading should be increased by 138 inch. For correcting the ship's barometer either mercurial or aneroid for the height of the barometer cistern above the tide level in the steam at 8-45 a.m., Standard Time, the ship's barometer reading should be increased by 0.10 inch. for every 10 feet of the height to make it comparable with the observatory barometer reading given above.

TEMPERATURE IN BOMBAY

Government Observatory, Colaba,
Bombay, October 1st 1914.
Means of observations taken at 6 a.m., 10 a.m., 2 p.m., 4 p.m., and 10 p.m.

Barometer corrected to 32 deg. Fahr.	29.831 inches.
Temperature of Air	83.9 degrees.
Wet Bulb Thermometer	79.1 "
Dew Point	77 5 "
Relative humidity of Air	0.812 "
Extent of cloudy sky (the whole sky cloudy-10)	2 2 "
Maximum temperature of Air	88 7 "
Minimum do. do.	79 7 "
General direction of Wind from midnight to midnight	WNW, NE, ESE, W, WNW
Movement of Wind from midnight to to midnight	62 miles.
Fall of Rain	0 09 inches
Total fall during month	0 09 "
Total fall during year	81.43 "
Additional fall of rain on 2nd October	0.00 "

SUN, MOON AND TIDES AT BOMBAY.

The following are the hours and heights of the tides in Bombay Harbour during the ensuing week. Hours stated in Bombay Mean Time, depth of water is at Prince's Dock sill.

Days of Week.	Day of Month.	HIGH WATER. Bombay Mean Time.	HIGH WATER. Depth on Sill.	LOW WATER. Bombay Mean Time.	LOW WATER. Depth on Sill.
	Oct.	h. m	ft. in	h. m	ft. in
F	2	m 10 22	27 0	n 3 57	16 0
		10 46a	26 10	4 26a	17 0
S	3	m 10 50	27 1	m 4 3	17 11
		11 14a	27 4	4 58a	16 6
Sun	4	m 11 16	27 0	m 5 4	17 11
		11 50a	27 7	5 19a	16 1
M	5	m 11 41	26 11	5. 53	15 0
				6 44a	15 11
Tu	6	m 0 20	27 9	6 m 6 1	15 8
		0 5a	26 9	6 8a	15 11
W	7	m 0 49	27 7	7 m 6 29	15 8
		0 29a	26 5	7 31a	16 1
Th	8	m 1 18	27 4	1 m 6 57	15 3
		0 54a	25 11	6 55a	16 5

The following are the hours of sunrise and sunset according to Indian Standard Time during the ensuing week:—

Oct.		Sunrise	Sunset
2	(Friday)	6h. 30m.	6h. 27m.
3	(Saturday)	6h. 30m.	6h. 26m.
4	(Sunday)	6h. 30m.	6h. 26m.
5	(Monday)	6h. 30m.	6h. 25m.
6	(Tuesday)	6h 31m.	6h. 24m.
7	(Wednesday)	6h. 31m.	6h. 23m.
8	(Thursday)	6h. 31m.	6h. 22m.

PHASES OF THE MOON.—Last Quarter Sept. 12th, 11h 18 3m. p m. New Moon 20th, 8h., 3-3m. a.m. Perigee 21st, 0-0h, p.m. First Quarter 26th 5h 33-3 p.m. Full Moon, Oct. 4th 11h 28 9m.a.m. Apogee, 6th, 10th. p.m.

RANGOON SHIPPING NEWS.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)
RANGOON, Oct. 2.

On the Kistna which left for Calcutta, are the mails for Europe and various parts of India and Ceylon. Amongst her passengers are fourteen German and Austrian subjects, deported to Ahmednagar. The Uganda and the Japan which also left yesterday for Calcutta, carry full compliments of all classes of passengers. On the wharves large crowds of people saw the passengers off. Among the passengers in the Japan are the officers and crew of the steamer Clan Matheson who were brought to Rangoon by the steamer Dovre, after their ship had been sunk by the Emden. They will be paid off in Calcutta and if possible berths will be found for them in homeward steamers.

Mr. C. A. Bell, Political Officer of Sikkim, who assisted in the Tibetan Conference, is returning to Sikkim this week.

The "Madras Mail's" London correspondent cables:—Major W. Donald-Smith, of the Madras Volunteer Guards, has been offered and has accepted commission in Lord Kitchener's new army.

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CABLE QUOTATIONS.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.)

AMERICAN MARKTS.

New York, Sept. 30

New Orleans Cotton 8 1/2

LIVERPOOL COTTON.

Liverpool, October 1st.

Cotton sales	5,800
Imports	800
Egyptian..	7.60—10

BANK OF ENGLAND.

London, Thursday, October 1st.

THE BANK OF ENGLAND RETURNS for the week ending yesterday show the following results:—

	£		£
Total Bullion ..	52,916,000	Inc.	1,243,000
Public Deposits ..	22,244,000	Dec.	6,429,000
Other do. ..	137,287,000	Inc.	12,020,000
Govt. Securities ..	24,732,000	Dec.	950,000
Other Securities ..	116,820,000	Inc.	6,087,000
Notes and Gold ..	36,392,000	,,	472,000

THE BANK RESERVE is 23% of the liabilities.

White Wheat Karachi 44/9

Paid into the Bank of England £ 872,000

MISCELLANEOUS MARKET REPORT.

London October 1st.

Rubber	2 9/16
Ceylon Rubber	2/1
Copra	24
Cocoanut Oil Spot	30/6

BOMBAY MARKETS.

Bombay, 2nd October.

IMPORTS OF TREASURE

Nil.

MONEY.

The Bank of Bombay rate is unchanged at 6 per cent., and that of the Bank of Bengal also unchanged at 5 per cent.

EXCHANGE.

Only a small business has been done during the past week and rates have remained unchanged. The tone of the market is quiet.

We quote:—

	s. d.
BANK'S SELLING—	
T. T. ready	1 3 13/16
D D. mail	1 3 3/4
T T. forward. Dec.	1 3 7/8
BANK'S BUYING—	
Private D D. ready	1 4 1/16
Credits 3 m-s ready	1 4 1/8
60 d/s Japan	148

COUNCIL BILLS.

On Wednesday last allotments of 2-10 lakhs bills were made as under:—

	Rs.
Calcutta	40,000
Bombay	20,000
Madras	1,50,000
Total ...	2,10,000

the rate being 1s. 3d. 15/16. No allotments of T. T. were made. The total amount sold during the week ending on Tuesday evening last was 9-90 lakhs.

BULLION.

In the London market the rate for Spot bar silver has declined slightly during the week, the latest quotation cabled being 24. Locally there has been a small to moderate business doing in ready bars at current rates. Closing prices are as under. Bar gold is steady with a fair demand.

We quote:—

	Rs.	a.	p.
English bar gold	25	10	0
Sovereigns (dragons)	15	0	0
Ready Bar silver (cum duty)	74	6	0

Exports of Bar Silver from Bombay by Rail on 30th September 1914.

	Bars.	Ounces.
G. I. P. Railway	11*	13,052
B. B. & C. I. Railway	43	52,395

* Boxes and Bars.

GOVERNMENT PAPER AND SHARES.

There was no doing in the Paper Market to-day.

The Share Market remained closed.

BANK OF BOMBAY STATEMENT.

The following is the position of the Bank of Bombay for the week ending Saturday last as compared with the previous week in lakhs and decimals

LIABILITIES.	Rs.	Rs.
	Inc.	Dec.
Public Deposits at Head Office	..	18.96
Public Deposits at Branches	..	12.27
Other Deposits	8.45	..
Port Bills	..	..
Sundries	.43	..
ASSETS.		
Government Securities	..	4.20
Other Authorities	..	.24
Credits on Government and other Authorised Securities	..	6.66
Loans on do. do.	12.64	..
Bills discounted and purchased	..	4.22
Dead Stock	..	..
Stamps	..	..
Bullion	..	..
Balances with other Banks	..	12.89
Sundries	.04	..
Cash	..	6.6

COTTON.

BOMBAY CHAMBER OF COMMERCE WEEKLY COTTON STATISTICS.

Receipts of various growths of Cotton at Bombay as compared with the corresponding periods of the previous Season:—

Descriptions.	Week's Receipts	Total since 1st Sept. 1914.	Total. same time last year
	Bales.	Bales.	Bales.
Khandeish ..	..	..	677
Central India ..	15	15	1,801
Barsee and Nagar ..	..	..	426
Berar ..	4	178	1,891
Central Provinces ..	527	1,333	2 775
Total Comras ..	546	1,526	7 570
Dholleras ..	639	1,347	6,016
Broach ..	..	..	453
Compta and Dhawar ..	336	1,398	22,731
Westerns ..	..	3,804	8,199
Bengals (N.W. Provinces) ..	..	..	16,102
Bengals (Rajputana) ..	..	..	1,498
Sind ..	484	4,636	944
Persian ..	..	8	26
American ..	..	..	207
Egyptian ..	..	..	183
Other sorts ..	..	297	..
Total ..	2,025	12,606	63,940

BOMBAY COTTON TRADE ASSOCIATION WEEKLY COTTON STATISTICS.

	Bales. 1914	Bales. 1913.	Bales. Differences.
Receipts for the week	2,025	23,626	— 21,601
Receipts from Sept. 1st to 1st Oct. ..	12,606	63,940	— 51,334
Shipments for the week 24th Sept. Europe ..	2,870	18,434	— 15,564
China Japan and Coast Ports ..	100	413	— 313
Total ..	29,70	18,847	— 15,877
Total Shipment from 1st Sept. to 1st Oct. ..	9,558	84,422	— 74,864
Europe ..	500	..	plus 500
China ..	5,842	30,707	— 24,865
Japan ..	578	964	— 391
Coast Ports ..	16,513	11,61.133	— 99,630
Total ..	502	13.850	— 13,347
Afloat in harbour Europe ..	20,631	Nil	plus 20,631
China Japan and Coast Ports ..			

STOCK OF COTTON IN BOMBAY.

	Bales
*Estimated stock on 1st Sept. 1914	645,000
Receipts from 1st Sept. 1914 to 1st Oct. 1914	12,606
Less shipments from 1st Sept. 1914 to 1st Oct. 1914	657,606 16,513
	641,093
Less afloat in harbour	21,133
	619,960
Less estimated mill consumption and up country by rail	80,000
Stock in Bombay in all hands on 2nd Oct. 1914	539,960
Difference since last week	—31,252

B. C. T. A. QUOTATIONS.

Growths.	Fine.	Fully good.	Good.	Delivery.
H.G. Bengals R. T...	143	135	..	Jan. 25th.
M.G. Bengals R. T...	145	..	..	,,
M.G. Scind. Punjab R. T...	142	..	..	,,
M.G. Kandeish ..	155	145	..	,,
M.G. Hinganghat Wardha ..	195	..	..	,,
M.G. Nagpore, Kamptee ..	190	..	..	,,
M.G. Veedmahl ..	185	..	..	,,
M.G. Dhamangaum, Poolgaum ..	180	..	..	,,
M.G. Akola, Khamgaum, "Fal Staple"	170	..	..	,,
M.G. Amravati ..	172	..	..	,,
M.G. Oomra "Fair Staple" ..	167	..	..	,,
M.G. Broach ..	215	..	205	March 25th.
M.G. Muttia ..	152	142	..	Jan. 25th.

These rates are definitely fixed for future contracts, and the Association will not recognise any contracts *under* these rates in terms of the resolution passed.

During the past week the fixed prices in Liverpool have been reduced to 5-30 for Spot Mid. Americans, 5.00 for liquidation of Jan. Feb. contracts, and 7.60 for Spot Egyptians F. G. F.

Mr. Hester's figures for the past season's American crop (1913-1914) are 14,589,000 bales. The figures are somewhat lower than the estimates current a few months ago which ranged round fourteen and three quarter million bales.

So far we have received no advices regarding the Bureau Report of the average condition of the crop for September. The actual date of publication is unknown and possibly it will be issued only to-day. The Bureau Report is, however, of little importance in the present state of the Market.

The Local Market for forward delivery has been dull during the past week, and prices have given way to the minimum rates fixed by the Bombay Cotton Trade Association as per the resolution passed by the Directors on the 2nd ultimo, and approved by the Shareholders Meeting on the 10th ultimo. Business has come to a standstill as there are no buyers at these rates. Prior to the fixing of the minimum rates, good Broach had declined to Rs. 200, and the Market showed signs of a collapse which it was considered expedient to check in the interest of all parties concerned. After careful and mature consideration the Directors fixed minimum prices, which *even as compared with present rates for Americans* are by no means high. Ten days ago good Broach stood at Rs. 222. It is now Rs. 205 with no buyers. The Liverpool Market having declined in the meanwhile, it is anticipated that the minimum rates here will be reduced, but the decision rests with the Directors and could not be in safer hands. We give below the fixed prices now current for all descriptions for forward delivery.

Since the removal of the fixed rates for ready cotton there has been a steady decline all round, and prices are about Rs. 15 lower on the week. There is very little enquiry anywhere and the daily off take is only a few hundred bales. Holders are anxious to reduce stocks before the arrival of new crop cotton; but buyers are indifferent.

Crop reports from all districts are very satisfactory. Cotton has commenced to arrive in some of the Punjab Markets. In the Berars, Central Provinces and Khandeish the plants are showing bolls rapidly ripening. In Broach the plants are healthy and flourishing. The Muthia crop is also doing well.

LOCAL YARNS.

Prices have declined and bazaar dealers and others have been anxious to move stocks. There has been a small enquiry at times by shippers and sales have been made during the week of about 1,000 bales 10s. at 4 13/16 to 5 11/32 annas. A few lots of 12s. and 20s. have also changed hands, the former at 4 15/16 annas and the latter at 6 annas. There is no life in the Market though the raw material is cheap.

Exchange at Hongkong ..... Rs. 135

Exchange at Shanghai ..... Rs. 174

WHEAT AND SEEDS.

Most of these Markets continue lifeless and quotations are quite nominal. A few transactions are reported in ready Linseed and Castorseed, as also in ready which Karachi Bangla wheat at the rates quoted below.

Linseed:—

Ready ..... Rs. 5-12-0 B.T.

May (nominal) .....Rs. 7-12-0 R.T.

Castorseed:—

Ready .....Rs. 5-8-0 B.T.

Poppyseed:—

Ready ..... Rs. 7-1-0 B.T.

Groundnuts:—

Ready ..... Rs. 40-0-0

Teelseed:—

New White Khandesh. Rs. 42-0-0 nominal.

Wheat:—

Ready White Karachi Bougla. Rs. 6-10-0 R.T.

WEEK'S RECEIPTS.

The following are the Receipts of Cotton produce and principal food grains into Bombay for the week ending at 6 p.m yesterday.

Cotton	2,025 Bales
Wheat	29,321 Cwts
Linseed	2,065 ,,
Rape, Rai etc.	62 ,,
Gingellyseed	80 ,,
Poppyseed.....	Nil. ,,
Groundnuts.....	2,724 ,,
Castorseed	3,636 ,,
Rice	11,034 ,,
Myrabolams	72 ,,
Cottonseed	15,432 ,,
Mowraseed	Nil ,,
Gram	31,296 ,,
Jowar.....	2,021 ,,
Maize	305 ,,
Barley	1,320 ,,

Summary of arrivals of Cotton Produce and Principal Food-Grains in Bombay.

	Since 1st Jan. 1914.	Same period last year.
Cotton 2,861,534		2,273,931
Wheat 2,026,373		7,115,799
Linseed 2,062,068		4,260,311
Rape, Rai etc.	687,498	1,049,168
Gingellyseed	891,849	1,115,081
Poppyseed.....	176,862	396,165
Groundnuts.....	769,153	858,042
Castorseed 1,343,313		1,762,454
Rice 4,088,909		3,713,729
Myrabolams	803,657	566,934
Cottonseed 4,398,133		3,357,417
Mowraseed	153,097	501,182
Gram	534,896	735,772
Jowar.....1,398,527		661,479
Maize	9,048	6,877
Barley	59,755	220,911

PETROLEUM

The following are to-day's rates for the Asiatic Petroleum Co., Limited brands:—

	Rs.	a.	p.
RisingSunBrandBulkLouse per 8 Ip.Gl.	3	14	0
Rising Sun Brand New Tins per pair..	4	8	0
Deer Brand Bulk Loose per 8 Ip. Galls.	3	12	0
Deer Brand New Tins per pair . ..	4	6	0
Bull Brand Bulk Loose per 8 Ip. Galls.	3	7	6
Bull Brand New Tins per pair.. ..	4	1	6
Swan Brand Bulk Loose per 8 Ip. Galls.	3	2	6
Swan Brand New Tins per pair. ..	3	12	6
Anchor Tins per pair	4	9	0
Rising Sun Cases per case	4	15	0
Anchor Cases per case	5	1	0

The following are to-day's rates for the Standard Coy's brands:—

	Rs.	a.	p.	
Snowflake Brand 150° Amer	6	0	2	per case
White Rose Brand 150°	5	12	2	,,
Chester ,, 75°	5	2	2	,,
Devoe's Imp. Brt. ,, 76°	5	0	2	,,
Monkey ,, 125°	4	15	2	,,
Tiger ,, 125°	4	15	2	,,
White Camelia in tins ,, 125°	4	6	0	per 2 tins
Elephant Bulk in tins ,, 125°	4	6	0	per 2 tins
Elephant Bulk without tins ,, 125°	3	12	0	per 6 Imp. Gal.
Camel in tin ,, 125°	4	6	0	per 2 tins

The following are to-day's rates for the Burmah Oil Co., Ltd., products:—

Bazaar rates Delivery charges extra.

	Rs.	as.	p.
Kerosine Oil Waterlily per case of 2 tin	5	4	0
,, ,, Firefly ,, ,, ,,	5	1	0
,, ,, Chaker per two tins.	4	6	0
,, ,, ,, per 8 gallons	3	12	0
,, ,, Victoria per two tins	3	11	6
,, ,, ,, per 8 gallons	3	1	6
Burmah Wax 1st quality, per pound	0	4	0
,, ,, 2nd ,, ,, ,,	0	3	0
Candles per pound	0	4	6

MANCHESTER COTTON PIECE-GOODS AND YARN MARKET REPORT.

(From our Correspondent.)

Oct. 2.

Another very quiet week we had to experience. The general condition on our side is in no little way better than last reported, if anything the little retail inquiry in general, visible last week has in no way been maintained. A very fair quantity of August shipments has been received last month, and considering the poor trade, we shall have to face very discouraging figures as far as the stock is concerned.

Home reports are encouraging, not in connection with the trade, but they are quite satisfactory as long as we learn that the excitement which was so evident at the outbreak of war is dying down, and things are more or less adapting themselves to the present conditions. If people who are much nearer the seat of war are doing their best to settle down and resume trade to the extent, circumstances would permit, our traders who are thousands of miles away ought to have far much better. As matters are, an unreasonable panic and ludicrous over anxiety for person and property, have brought the best of markets to a most unwholesome position. Would it be much to say that the weak attitude taen up by our traders, pracically means allowing opportunities to slip.

Grey goods have experienced a far slow moving this week. Prices keep unsteady, the changes in the same being only for the worst. Large dealers find their already heavy stocks augmenting. One has to wait contented hoping for the better. Inquiry for bleached goods is very discouraging Reduction in bazaar prices continues. Retail inquiry in a small scale has been visible for Gujerat and Kathiawar "Green End" low counts mills, 28 inches by 18 yds, continues having a minor demand, but at prices which leave losses to the dealers. In white shirtings, there is inquiry on a small scale, and the hopeful feature of the style is that this inquiry is steady, and permits margins of profit to the holders. The local prices show a rising tendency. Prints, dyed goods and fancies continue to show little improvement. These style are least sought, and even at sacrificing prices, purchasers are wanting. Dealers in these are most anxious sellers regardless of loss. We repeat, it is possible the presnt apathy to purchase will be the main factor to save holders from undue losses.

Yarns:— The market continues to be in the same uninteresting state. Holders do not appear anxious sellers at low prices, the advantage of a not very heavy stock on hand. Some small purchases for 2/40 cross reels reported by local mills, yet in no quantity of note.

The Lieutenant Governor of the United Provinces accompanied by Lady Meston, Mr. Bishop and Captain Black, A. D. C., will leave Naini Tal on the 16th October and after a short tour to Ramgarh and Bhowali will arrive in Allahabad on the 21st October. His Honour will be in residence at Allahabad until Christmas.

Hon. Mr. I. Donald, C.S.I., C.I.E., Officiating Chief Commissioner, North-west Frontier Province, arrives in Simla on a short visit and will stay with the Lieutenant-Governor of the Punjab at Barnes Court.

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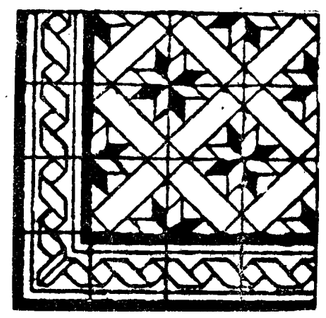

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SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.

aledonia	Dawell	London Sept. 12
Morocco	Pickering	Nicolaieff Sept. 3

DEPARTURES.

Oct 2.

Lawoe	Smith	Jeddah
Lhasa	Boxhall	Hull via Karachi
Chakdara	Spa row	P. Gulf via Karachi
Lhasa	Ronal	Karachi

The following vessels obtained port clearances yesterday.

Varsova	Sharp	Karachi
City of Nagpur	Main	,,
City of manchester	Scobie	,,
Galavale	Hunter	Busreh

The following vessels entered for loading yesterday.

S. S. Caledonia:—The P. and O. S. N. Company's steamer Caledonia, 3,129 tons, Captain E. R. Dawell, arrived in harbour on Friday morning from London which port she left on September 12, with a general cargo, mails and passengers.

S. S. Morocco:—The steamer Morocco, 2,476 tons, Captain G. E. Pickering, arrived in harbour yesterday from Nicolaieff, which port she left on September 3, with ballast.

S. S. Lhasa:—The B. I. S. N. Company's steamer Lhasa, 249 tons, Captain N. J. Ronal, sailed yesterday for Karachi with mails, a general cargo and passengers.

S. S. Lawoe:—The steamer Lawoe, 1,817 tons, Captain W. Smith, sailed yesterday for Jeddah, with a general cargo and 725 pilgrims.

S. S. Bassano:—The Wilson Line steamer Bassano, 2,762 tons, Captain J. Boxhall, sailed yesterday for Hull via Karachi, with a general and same bottom cargo.

S. S. Chakdara:—The B. I. S. N. Company's steamer Chakdara, 1,581 tons, Captain W. R. Sparrow, sailed yesterday for the Persian Gulf via Karachi with a general cargo and passengers.

S. S. Varsova:—The B. I. S. N. Company's steamer Varsova, 1,956 tons, Captain W. A. Sharp, will sail to-day for Karachi with a general and same bottom cargo.

S. S. City of Nagpur:—The Ellerman Line steamer City of Nagpur, 5,340 tons, Captain J. M. Main, will sail to-day for Karachi, with a general and same bottom cargo.

S. S. City of Manchester:—The Ellerman Line steamer City of Manchester, 3,562 tons, Captain W. Scobie, will sail to-day for Karachi, with a general and same bottom cargo.

S. S. Galavale:—The steamer Galavale, 2,441 tons. Captain A. Hunter, will sail to-day for Busreh, with ballast.

Friday, October 2

P. DOCK.

P & E Clan Mackeller ..	Makepeace	J. F. & Co
P City of Nagpur	Main	K. N. & Co
Mislani ..	Watson	T. M. & Co
N Hooghly	Sandana	P. & O. S. N. Co

V. DOCK.

SEED STEAMER	CAPT.	AGENTS
1 Clan Macpherson	Kedford	J. F. & Co
2 Cricassi	Osborne	W. & A. G. & Co.
3 Lindenfels	(Prize vessel)	Nickle
5 Nigretia	Raddish	W. & A. Graham & Co
6 Saigon Maru	Yamaguchi	N. Y. Kaisha
7 Umta	Babb	M. M. & Co
8 Barbarigo	Gallo	Venice S. N. Co
12 & 13 Persia	Bradshaw	P. & O. S. N. Co
16 Abydos	Davis	Bo. & A. S. N. & Co

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Bahadurl	Mahomed..	B. O. S. N. Co. Ld.
Irrawadi	Goolam	

OFFSIDE.

N Anatolia	Seaborne	W. & A. G. & Co

H. W. V. D.

Lhasa	Ronal	M. M. & Co

M. W. D. D.

Varsova	Roose	M. M. & Co

VESSELS IN THE STREAM.

Aviemoor	Williams	Jee.Twandas Co
Abbassoli	Findley	,,
Armetis	Reedher	,,
Bangala	Carrie	M. M. & Co
Bharata	Macdonald	M. M Co
Bretwalda	Evans	M. M. & Co
Barbarigo	Gallo	Venice S. N. Co
Clan Macbeth	Redford	J. F. & Co.
Canara	Dagge	,, M. & Co.
Cape Antabes	Lockead	Texas & Co
Caithness	Ridland	W. & A. G. & Co
Caledonia	Dawill	P. & O. S. N. Co
Dumra	Andreason	M. M. & Co
E. F. Ferdinand	Gardner	The Dock Manager
Frienfels	Hocking	Dock Manager
Galvale	Hunter	W. A. G. Co
Homayun	Courtney	T. M. & Co
Kurmark	Contwer	Dock Manager
Karadeola	Morrad	B. & P. S. N. Co
Kiosoun	Hannah	T. M. & Co
Kassala	Smith	W. & A. G. & Co
Loana	Nelson	T. N. & Co
Lockeley Hall	Gardner	K. N. & Co
Masunda	Rusk	M. M. & Co.
Mashobra	Brooks	M. M. & Co
Morocco	Pickering	,,
Nairung	Grant	T. M. & Co.
Pentakota	Stewart	M. M. & Co
Rorenfels	Williams	Dock Manager
Riechenfels	Jones	Dock Manager
Seafds	Johnson	M. M. & Co
Sildra	Bryn	The Bombay Co
Suberdar	Crebbin	Tosy & Co.
Sardinia	Jeffery	P. & O. S. N. & Co
Tara	Hamlyn	M. M. & Co
Teesbridge	Cooper	,,
Umsinga	Cox	W. & A. G. & Co
Varela	Mills	M. M. & Co
Varsine	Hamiltone	Dock Manager.
Veturia	Brown	M. M. & Co
Vartura	Thompson	Dock Manager
Wartenfels	(Prize vessel)	Dock Manage
Zoroastrian	Osborne	O. M. & Co

EXPORTS.

Oct. 2.

FOR MIDDLESBRO.

MOROCCO (s) 2,000 tons manganese ore, James Finlay and Co.

FOR NEW YORK.

WADDON (s) 408 cwts. bone sinews, Hollingshurst and Co.; 255 cwts. gum karaya, M. Jafferbhoy.

FOR OSAKA.

SAIGON MARU (s) 544 bales cotton, N. M. K. Kaisha.

FOR KOBE.

SAIGON MARU (s) 400 bales cotton, H. Nensey and Co.; 300 bales cotton, T. Yuasa; 1,500 bales cotton, M. B. Kaisha.

IMPORTS.

S. S. Circassia from Liverpool, Agents W. and A. Graham and Co.—4,273 cases 1,314 bales cotton goods, 48 bales 87 cases woollen goods, 351 bales 384 cases cotton yarn, 34 bales 75 cases mixed cotton goods, 2 cases artificial silk and cotton goods, 1 case cotton and linen goods, 1 case linen goods, 36 bales jute cloth, 1,000 bundles 25,560 pieces bricks, 286 casks 60 bags fire clay, 408 casks China clay, 70 drums 20 cases bleaching powder, 20 kegs borax, 40 drums caustic soda, 855 hogsheads 25 cases ale, 28 hogsheads stout, 345 hogsheads ale and stout, 146 cases beer, 25 cases gin, 52 cases rum, 11 packages spirit, 161 cases 2 hogsheads wine, 4,216 cases 7 casks 5 packages 29 hogsheads whisky, 136 bales newspaper, 506 bales 17 cases paper, 100 boxes 40 cases cornflour, 40 drums 3 cases varnish, 1 package 22 kegs 41 casks 20 cases paint, 250 casks coal tar and pitch, 7 casks 16 barrels tallow, 55 casks tiles, 162 cases candles, 40 cases locks, 209 crates bottles, 120 drums 5 packages 4 casks 1 firkin, 98 cases 1,006 boxes soap.

S. S. Canara from Sorabaya, Agents M. M. and Co. —30,313 bags sugar.

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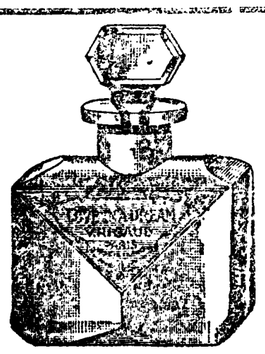

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BOMBAY CITY AND SUBURBS.

PUBLIC ENGAGEMENTS.

TO-DAY.

Teachers' Association of Bombay: Address by Pro. H. G. Limaye, M.A., on the Problem of Secondary Education, at St. Xavier's College Hall, 6-15 p.m.
Poona Races.
Bandman Opera Co., "The Balkan Princess," Excelsior Theatre, 9-30 p.m.

MONDAY, October 5.

Bombay Municipal Corporation, 3-40 p.m.
Bandmann Opera Company, "Step this Way" Excelsior Theatre, 9-30 p.m.

TUESDAY, October 6.

Bombay Improvement Trust Board meeting.
Bandmann Opera Company, "Step this Way" Excelsior Theatre, 9-30 p.m.

WEDNESDAY, October 7.

Municipal Standing Committee meeting, 3-40.
Bandmann Opera Company, "The Girl in the Taxi," Excelsior Theatre, 9-30 p.m.

THURSDAY, October 8.

Bombay Municipal Corporation meeting, 3-40 p.m.
Bandman Opera Company, "The Girl on the Film," Excelsior Theatre, 9-30 p.m.

DAILY.

Excelsior Theatre of Varieties, 6-30.
America-India Cinematograph, Charni Road, 7 to 8-15, 8-30 to 9-45, and 10 to 11-15.
Imperial Cinematograph, Charni Rd., 7 to 8-30, 8-45 to 10-15, 10-30 to 12.
Olympia Cinematograph, Sandhurst Road, 5-15 to 6-45, 7 to 8-30, 9 to 10-30, and 11 to 12-30.

BOMBAY LIGHT HORSE.

Squadron Orders by Lieut.-Colonel H. Stanley Reed, A.D.C., Commanding.

Oct. 3.

1. Orderly N. C. Officer for the week ending October 10th:—Corpl. R. C. Lowndes.
2. Riding School for Recruits and members in possession of Remounts daily from 7-15 a.m.
3. There will be a combined Drill with the 33rd Cavalry on Tuesday morning next, the 6th instant: Rendezvous, Church Gate station, 7-15 a.m. punctually. All members are requested to attend. Dress, Drill Order, Khaki.
4. There will be an instructional parade both mounted and dismounted at the Riding School on Tuesday evening next, the 6th instant from 5-15 p.m.

(Sd.) D. W. WILSON, Captain,
Actg. Adjutant, Bombay Light Horse.

BOMBAY VOLUNTEER ARTILLERY.

Regimental Orders by Major J. W. Hawes, V.D., Commanding.

Oct. 2.

357.—Parades. The N. C. Os. and men detailed for 15 pr. Gun Drill, will parade at Headquarters at 7-0 a.m. on Monday next, 5th instant.

349.—Duty. Commencing 5th October, 1914. Detachments will be on duty for 24 hours at Mahaluxmi as follows:—

EVERY MONDAY

Sergt. Stubbs, Corpls. Binks and Smith, Bombrs. Navin and Dyson, Gunners Irvine, Robinson, Stokes, Burnett, Taylor, Peel and Petty A., Acting Br. Hallahan.

EVERY TUESDAY

Sergt. Venn, Corpls. White and Bellamy, Bombrs. Jackson and Reed, Gunners Harris, Saxby, Franklin, Alder, Tobbutt, Thomson, Bracewell, Niall, Murray G. W. and Darwell.

EVERY WEDNESDAY

Sergts. Spilling and Niven, Bombrs. Bloomfield and Beesley, Gunners Cowderoy, Elliott, Waddell, Clifford, Short, Rafferty, Rees, Rogers, White J. C., Perry, Robottom and Harwood.

EVERY THURSDAY

Sergt. Sherrin, Corpls. Binks and Smith, Bombrs. Navin and Dyson, Acting Brs. Hallahan and Sargent, Gunners Robinson, Irvine, Taylor, Petty J., Stokes, Burnett and Shepherd.

EVERY FRIDAY

Sergt. Graveston, Corpls. Grimshaw and Ashworth, Gunners Bayley, Band, Clerk, Burgess, Carroll, Price, Colonn, Muir, McIntosh, Bancroft, Plow and Ottley, Spare Gunner Coates.

EVERY SATURDAY AND SUNDAY

Sergt. Sherrin, Corpls. Binks and Smith, Bombr. Navin, Acting Br. Sargent, Gunners Irvine, Robinson, Taylor, Mallett J., Rees, Shepherd, Plunkett, Stokes and Petty.

Motor Cars have been arranged for (except on 5th, 6th and 7th October) as follows:—

Mondays:—1 Car at Grant Road at 8-10 a.m.

Tuesdays:—3 Cars, at Headquarters at 8-0 a.m.

Wednesdays:—3 Cars at Headquarters at 8-0 a.m.

Thursdays:—2 Cars at Headquarters at 8-0 a.m.; 1 Car, Grant Road station at 6-10 a.m.

Fridays:—3 Cars, Grant Road station at 6-10 a.m.

Saturdays:—2 Cars at Headquarters at 8-0 a.m., 1 Car, Grant Road station at 6-10 a.m.

(Sd.) R. C. D. GRAHAM, Captain, R.A.,
Adjutant, Bombay Volunteer Artillery.

BOMBAY VOLUNTEER RIFLES.

Regimental Ordesr By Lieut.-Colonel P. R. Cadell, Commanding.

Oct. 3.

857 Parade.—The Adult Battalion will parade as strong as possible for Battalion Training at 9-30 p.m. to-day Saturday October 3rd. Men who cannot attend this parade should obtain leave of absence from the Officer Commanding their company. Dress.—Uniform with helmets. Those men without uniform in Mufti.

858 Parades.—Company parades for the week ending October 10th:—
"A" Company, Thursday at 6-30 p.m.
"B" Company, Monday Thursday at 7-30 a.m. Signalling Class at 6-30 p.m. Monday Wednesday and Friday.
"C" Company Tuesday and Friday at 6-15 p.m.
"D" Company Tuesday and Thursday at 6-30 p.m.
"E" Company, Wednesday at 6-30 p.m. Parade at Sir Richard Temple's Statue. Uniform with helmets.
"F" Company Wednesday at 6-30 p.m.
"G" Company Monday and Thursday at 7-30 a.m. at the Gymkhana.
Companies to be instructed in accordance with Schedule of Training. Dress for all the above parades unless otherwise notified:—Uniform with helmets. Those men who have not drawn uniform to parade in plain clothes. Those men who have drawn all their uniform except helmets to parade in Khaki, Topees of any pattern.
I. Motor Reserve parade Thursday at 6-30 p.m. Dress.—Mufti.
II. Semaphore Signalling Class.—Adult companies every evening except Saturday at 6-30 p.m.
III. There will be an instructional parade for "G" Coy. N. C. Officers at the Gymkhana on Tuesday at 7-30 a.m. Dress. Mufti, Rifles and Side arms.

RECRUITS.

"A" Company Daily at 6-30 p.m.
"B" Company Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday and Saturday 7-30 a.m. (Mufti).
"C" Company Thursday, Friday 6-15 p.m.
"D" Company Daily at 6-30 p.m.
"G" Company Tuesday and Wednesday 7-30 a.m. at the Gymkhana, Monday and Thursday at 6-30 p.m. at Head-Quarters. Dress.—Mufti.
Special Reserve attached to "G" Company. The Reserve will parade with the recruits of "G" Company on the above mentioned days.
I. "G" Company Recruits who have not fired Part I should parade at Head-Quarters at 6-15 p.m. the day to be notified later.

859 Masketry.—The Range at Ghat Kopar is allotted as follows:—
Monday 5th Inst. "C" Coy. Recruits.
Tuesday 6th Inst. "E" Coy. Recruits.
Wednesday 7th Inst. "D" Coy. Recruits.
Thursday 8th Inst. "F" Coy. Recruits.
Friday 9th Inst. "C" Coy. Recruits.
Saturday 10th Inst. "G" Coy. Recruits.
Sunday 11th Inst. "G" Coy. Recruits.
Train leaves Victoria Terminus at 6-15 a.m. Officers Commanding companies will please detail one N. C. Officer for range duty with their recruits.

860 The Schedule of training to be carried out during the remainder of 1914 is now ready for distribution. All N. C. Officers should obtain a copy from the Sergt.-Major as soon as possible.

861 Leave.—Leave of absence is granted to the undernamed N. C. Officer and Volunteer:—No. 7128 Corpl. H. A. Eltoft, "G" Coy. from 1st October to 31st December 1914. No. 7473 Vol. A. Briggs, "G" Coy. from 3rd to 21st October 1914.

862 Enrolments. The undernamed having been enrolled are taken on the strength of the Corps and posted to companies as follows:—
No. 8128 Vol. A. Wiseman, "C" Coy.
No. 8129 Vol. J. Pimenta, "F" Coy.
No. 8130. Vol A. T. East, "G" Coy.

862 Strength.—No. 7594 Cy. J. H. James, "E" Coy. having resigned is struck off the strength.

(Sd.) C. N. MOBERLY, Captain,
Actg. Adjutant Bombay Vol. Rifles.

BAND AT THE BOMBAY GYMKHANA.

By kind permission of Col. R. E. P. Pigott, C.I.E., and Officers, the String Band of the 1st Battn., B. B. & C. I. Railway Vols., will play the following programme under the direction of Mr. Geo. W. Salter, at Bombay Gymkhana this evening commencing at 6-15 p.m.

March ..."Gaily through the World". Macbeth.
Overture ..... "The Sovereign" ..... Hermon
Valse ..... "Saints and Sinners" ..... Dawson.
Selection ..... "The Mikado" ..... Sullivan.
Song ..."Love came from Fairyland ...Lincke.
Serenade ..... "O Sol Mio" ..... Capus.
Intermezzo ..... "Aeriel" ..... Hume.
Polka de Sabots ..... Dresher.

National Anthems.
Japan, Belgium, Franch, Russia.

STRING BAND AT THE COMMERCIAL GYMKHANA.

By kind permission of Colonel T. W. Bonner, V.D., and Officers, the Band of the 1st Battn., G. I. P. Ry. Volunteers, will play this evening a programme of music, under the direction of Mr. Hugh B. Mitchell, Band Master, commencing at 6-15 p.m.

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PASSENGERS BY THE MAIL.

The following passengers arrived by the Peninsular and Oriental Steam Navigation Company's S. S. Caledonia.

Mrs. Allen, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. M. Heathcote and 2 infants, Mrs. Tuikerbond Booth, Major Glanrill, Mr. H. B. Hilden, Mr. T. G. Patridge, Mrs. Beet, ayah and infant, Mr. and Mrs. C. Gilbert and 2 infants, Mr. J. R. Tyat, Mrs. A. Brebner, Mr. R. Whitley, Col. H. T. Pease, Mr. R. E. Johns, Miss L. B. Weir, Mr. O. T. Gardener, Mr. T. Vivian, Capt. A. R. Hill, Miss D. H. Speight, Mr. J. Heywood, Mr. H. Hacking, Mr. W. Jesse, Mr. H. H. Haines, Mr. H. A. Scott, Mr. D. D. Beath, Mr. N. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Hall, Mr. M. A. Hughes, Mrs. T. G. Partridge, Mr. G. W. Gilchrist, Mrs. L. E. S. Olver, Miss J. A. Mathieson, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Knowles, Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Mudir, Mrs. Beedie, Mr. H. A. Sams, Mr. J. H. Lindquist, Mr. G. L. Wallwork, Miss Phillips, Mr. Intosh, Mr. J. W. Intosh, Mr. and Miss Jas. Intosh, Capt. and Mrs. C. Walton, Mr. S. H. Jenkins, Mr. J. Harris, Mr. J. Griffiths, Mr. W. R. George, Miss R. H. Bruce, Mr. and Miss R. R. Gales, Mrs. A. Sassoon, child, nurse, and infant, Mr. E. T. Pascoe, Mr. J. C. Gilbert, Mr. A. W. O'Kell, Mr. S. H. Ball, Mr. J. R. Clark, Mr. E. J. Nevill, Miss D. Vanghan, Mr. C. L. Harper, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Luker and infant, Mr. Barton, Mr. G. M. Darwin, Mr. W. D. Woollam, Mr. F. P. Williams, Hon. D. M. Straight, Mrs. Luker, and ayah, Miss S. Wilkinson, Mr. A. Bowie, Mr. A. G. T. Glaisby, Mr. H. A. L. Robinson, Mr. Herbert Stow, Mr. C. A. Radice, Mr. R. S. Highett, Mr. H. C. Greenfield, Mr. W. N. Simpson, Mr. H. Gough, Mr. A. Sisson, Mr. H. Roberts, Mr. G. Bispham, Miss L. Walker, Mr. C. H. Goodall, Mr. F. P. Manson, Mr. T. Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. Davidson, and 2 children, Mr. F. M. Earls, Mr. J. Paterson, Mr. K. S. Manker, Mr. Henry Frith, Mr. W. R. Flanvin, Mr. and Mrs. G. Bayly, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Clark, Mr. G. E. Payne, Mr. R. E. Paxton, Mrs. W. H. Phillip Hilton, Mr. G. H. MacAlister, Mr. C. Morrison, Mrs. Stewert Waterfield, Miss Senior, Mr. E. S. Pinfold, Mr. and Mrs. M. N. Mehta, Mr. P. M. Mehta, Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Mehta, Mrs. V. Stowe and infant, Lady and Miss Craddock and ayah, Mr. J. Longbotham, Mr. G. H. E. Douglas, Capt. G. C. T. Black, Mr. A. H. Harrison, Mr. E. G. Rivett, Mr. and Mrs. F. N. Toulmain, Capt. G. H. Willis, Mr. and Mrs. W. Turner Green, Mr. F. Le Veuvre, Mr. Fred Hargy, Mr. N. P. Vakil, Mr. D. D. Deputy, Mrs. S. D. Cama, Mrs. S. E. Dubash, Mr. J. E. Beckter, Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Captain, D. F. T. Daly, Mr. Bhoj B. Rattigan, Mr. T. E. Cunningham, Mr. G. A. Spence, Mrs. R. Witson, Mrs. S. E. Platt, Mr. and Mrs. De Lunn, Mr. G. B. Crawford, Rev. S. D. Hindi, Mr. H. S. Randall, Mr. H. F. Pelton, Mrs. A. J. Rickil, Dr. Emmaton Stewart, Mr. V. C. Saunders, Mr. W. N. Vokes, Mr. K. L. Jhaveri, Mr. M. B. Mehta, Jhaveri native servant, Mrs. N. MacEwan, Mrs. M. Mace, Mr. A. Playfair and infant, Miss Graig and nurse, Mr. W. C. Oram, Mr. A. T. C. Sutton, Rev. G. H. Westcott, Mr. Walpole, Mr. Walker's nurse, Lt. Powell, Major S. G. James, Mrs. H. L. Painter, children and governess, Miss V. H. Weymouth, Miss Franklin, Mr. A. E. Turner, Dr. J. H. Shirgaokar, Mr. J. R. Abercrombie, Mrs. W. C. Oram, child and infant, Mrs. Teasdale, Mr. S. M. Patni, Mr. C. D. Balton, Mr. T. G. G. Greary, Mr. J. G. Rennie, Miss Peake, Mr. A. Powell, Mr. R. Lang, Mr. A. Aitken, Mr. M. Simmons, Mr. P. McCullough, Mrs. E. M. Wish, Mrs. Kemp, Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Stewart, Miss E. M. Backhouse, Miss C. G. Pearman, Miss A. W. Dixon, Mrs. W. M. Bancroft, Mr. R. G. Wharton, Bennetts, Mr. S. Baker, Dr. and Mrs. Simpson and infant, Mr. A. Stead, Mrs. K. B. Banker child and infant, Mr. and Mrs. V. Banker and 3 children, Mr. M. V. Nanavati, Mr. E. F. Visram, Col. C. A. R. Browne, Miss Wilcockson, Mr. H. Montgomery, Miss K. Walker, Hon. Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Best, Mrs. Shah, Mr. B. Ahmad, Col. C. H. Clay, Mr. B. Miller, Mrs. Mant Nanavati and native servant, Mrs. V. Stows and ayah, Mr. Justice H. Rattigan, Mr. A. F. Wilson, Mr. Sorenson, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Smith and child, Mr. H. Mangarvin, Mr. and Mrs. Gartly Mrs. Kirkwood and child. (Miss Carbell) governess, Mr. H. A. Greesmith, Mr. A. E. Lambert, Mr. A. Chadwick, Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Morrison, Mrs. P. D. Webber, Mrs. Rowland, Mr. Dodds, Mr. Douglas, Mr. Oskler, Mr. W. B. Coulson, Mrs. E. C. Withers and child, Miss E. Marsh, Rev. A. E. and Mrs. Ball and Miss, Mrs. C. A. Carey, Mr. W. H. Lana, Mr. E. R. Cuthbert, Mrs. T. J. Cooke, Mr. J. C. and Mrs. C. E. Davis, Mr. N.W. Quinn, Mr. G. W. Turner, Mr. J. H. Conroy, Mrs. W. Wilson and infant, Mrs. F. W. Walker and infant, Mr. A. Johnstone, Osman Ahmedkhan, Abdul Rajack, O. R. Ensoof Effar, Mahd Oosman, Essa Mahd. Mahd Hayat, Hassoon Imambra, E. A. Josephe E. Joseph, Bankers native servant, Mr. M. Iyer, Mr. A. Foliadia, Beamland Sict, Mr. Enboyee Entee.

PRARTHANA SAMAJ ANNIVERSARY.

In connection with the 47th Anniversary of the Bombay Prarthana Samaj, Rao Saheb R. R. Kale, will perform "Kirtan" this evening at 8-30 p.m. in the Local Prarthana Mandir, Girgaum. All are cordially invited.

In connection with the 47th Anniversary of the Bombay Prarthana Samaj, Mr. K. Natrajan, will conduct Divine Service in English to-morrow at 5-30 in the local Prarthana Mandir, Girgaum. All are cordially invited.

DAILY MORTALITY RETURNS,

One attack and one death from plague and one attack of cholera were registered in Bombay City during the 24 hours ended at 6 a.m. on Friday. There were no cases of small-pox. The plague attack was reported from Middle and Lower Colaba. The total mortality from all causes on Thursday was 72, as compared with 60 of the corresponding day of 1913 and 92 of that of 1912. The total number of rats caught by the rat-catchers on Thursday was 1,568, out of which 13 were found to be plague-stricken. B Ward contributed 9 of these plague rats and C Ward 4.

OLYMPIA PICTURE PALACE,

An attractive film, 3,000 feet in length, dealing with incidents in the tree logging districts of Floreda, is to be exhibited at the Olympia Picture Palace from to-night. The various scenes are very realistic, many of them sensational, and are said to have been produced from pictures taken on the spot. The rest of the new programme is also very entertaining.

AMERICA-INDIA CINEMA.

For this week the management have booked a big three-reel Detective Drama, "The Great Python Robbery," in which a tame python plays a principal part. The story is full of hairbreadth adventures and excitement, particularly in the scene where the detective is shown taking a leap from an airship on to the top of a moving express.

A new series of "Animated Cartoons" and a couple of comics will also be shown.

ENTERTAINMENT AT THE EMPIRE THEATRE.

At the performance of "Hour-i-Arab" at the Empire Theatre on Wednesday afternoon in aid of the War Relief Fund (Women's Branch) the following address to Her Excellency Lady Willingdon was read by Miss Fatima Jinnah:—Your Excellencies and Ladies,—I have been asked to express heartfelt thanks to all those who have combined to make this entertainment a success and thus to assist the Fund which has been formed to provide comforts for our brave troops at the front and relief for the families at home by substantial amount. Firstly, we must express our sincere thanks to Your Excellencies for so kindly being present. All of us in Bombay have watched with admiration the solicitude of Your Excellency Lady Willingdon and your noble husband, our dear Governor, not only for the troops but for the welfare of the whole Presidency at this anxious time, and the energy and ability with which Your Excellencies have initiated and controled the organisation of all measures to ameliorate the conditions of war. It will be the wish of all, I am sure, if I take this opportunity to express to Your Excellency the joy with which we have learned of the safety of your son. We are sorry he has been wounded, but we are sure he will soon be well and will be able to fulfil the wish that must be in his heart, the wish of all brave soldiers—once more to take his place in the firing line. I assure Your Excellency we all shared your anxiety during the trying days when his whereabouts was unknown, and we now share your joy at the news of his safety.

We have also to thank the lessee, Mooljibhai Asharam Oza, for his kindness and promptitude in lending this beautiful theatre; the Parsi Imperial Dramatic Company for their splendid performance, which all have enjoyed so much; Messrs. Cornaglia & Co., for providing free refreshments and Messrs. Dewjee Kanjee & Co., for the adornment of Her Excellency's Box. Lastly our thanks are due to all who have taken tickets and supported us this afternoon.

MORAL EDUCATION.

CONSULTATIVE COMMITTEE'S MEETING.

A Press Note containing the minutes of a meeting of the Consultative Committee in connexion with Moral Education, appointed under the orders contained in Government Resolution, Educational Department, dated the 16th April, 1914, has been issued.

Present:—The Director of Public Instruction, the Deputy Director of Public Instruction, the Educational Inspector, Central Division, the Inspector of European Schools, the Principal of the Secondary Training College, the Principal of the Poona Training College for Men, the Lady Superintendent of the Poona Training College for Women, the Inspectress of Girls' Schools, Bombay and Northern Division, the Hon. Mr. R. P. Paranjpye, the Hon. Moulvi Rafiuddin Ahmad, Sir R. G. Bhandarkar, Mr. H. N. Apte, Mr. H. J. Bhabha, Shri Mahabhagwat, Mrs. John Anderson, Mr. P. A. Wadia, Mr. H. G. Limaye.

In the unavoidable absence of the Hon. Mr. W. D. Sheppard, the chair was taken by the Director of Public Instruction, who explained briefly the circumstances leading to the institutions of the Committee.

Mrs. Anderson read a paper on "The Essential Aim of Moral Instruction." Attention was drawn to the importance of creating a good moral atmosphere in a school, out of which the moral lessons could grow, instead of being imposed on an alien environment; such atmosphere to be created partly by the teachers, partly by the elder pupils, partly by the school-life, discipline, games.

In the discussion which followed, attention was also drawn to the necessity of developing hostel life, and self-government under prefects; the possible value of a system of "scouts" for Indian boys and teachers; and to the system followed in some parts of India by which each master has to visit regularly, and as tutor to, a certain number of the boys who would otherwise be unsupervised.

Miss Corkery proposed that in view of the difficulty of obtaining teachers qualified to impart moral instruction in primary schools, peripatetic instructors should be appointed.

Mrs. Anderson was strongly of opinion that such instructor should not deal with the children, to whom he would be a stranger, but only with the teachers.

It was pointd out that it was already the function of the inspecting staff to go from village to village to stimulate the teachers, and that there was nothing to prevent them from endeavouring to create an interest in methods of moral instruction.

Mr. H. N. Apte suggested the institution of a model boarding school, with children from a very tender age, to be attached if possible to a training college, so that the methods of moral training might be studied from the beginning.

The Hon. Moulvi Rafiuddin suggested that the department should lend skilled instructors to orphanages or other institutions, and subsidize the production of a book of moral extracts from the Koran, and moral teaching, even though the latter were given on a religious basis.

Shri Mahabhagwat read a paper on "The Adaptation of Moral Instruction to Indian Needs," urging that it must have a religious basis.

Mr. Bhabha suggested that for the assistance of primary teachers stories easier than those of Mr. Enthoven should be published; also songs on moral subjects, and prayers.

Mrs. Anderson suggested biographies of well-known men and women.

A telegram from Mr. Welinkar was read, suggesting that two demonstration lessons should be given yearly in Bombay and two in Poona, with prizes; that essays should be invited on the best way of combining moral and religious education, with special reference to religious conditions in this Presidency, the best essay being published; and that classes should be taught to sing the poems of Marathi and Gujarati poets.

EXPENDITURE ON EDUCATION.

IMPERIAL RECURRING GRANT OF ONE LAKH.

The following Press Note has been issued by the Government of Bombay:—

In March last the Government of India intimated that a new recurring grant of Rs. 1 lakh had been made to the Bombay Presidency for the improvement of education. The Government of Bombay were authorized to disburse this sum at their discretion, and have already allotted Rs. 20,000 to the promotion of secondary education among Mahomedans in Sind by a system of scholarships tenable at Madressahs or recognized Anglo-vernacular schools having hostels attached to them. A sum of Rs. 5,000 has also been earmarked for meeting a portion of the recurring cost of introducing the Sloyd system of manual training. Another sum of Rs. 5,000 has been kept in reserve for meeting any urgent needs that may come to light during the course of the year. The remaining Rs. 70,000 have been allotted to two of the most pressing requirements of primary education, namely, the improvement of the pay of trained teachers, and the provision of additional teachers in understaffed schools. A sum of Rs. 1 lakh recurring is provided for the same two purposes in the current year's budget from provincial revenues. Accordingly Rs. 50,000 from both the imperial and the provincial grants, or Rs. 1 lakh in all, have been allotted for giving to trained teachers pay according to the face-value of their certificates and promotion according to the Code, while the remaining Rs. 20,000 of the imperial and Rs. 50,000 of the provincial grant, that is, Rs. 70,000 in all, are to be utilized in providing additional teachers in understaffed schools. It must, of course, be understood that all the sums mentioned above are annual recurring grants.

RESPONSIBILITY OF LOCAL BODIES.

Hitherto grants for improving the pay of trained teachers have been distributed to District Local Boards only, and it has been suggested that Municipalities should now be allowed to participate in them. After careful consideration of the proposal, Government have arrived at the conclusion that it is necessary to uphold, wherever possible, the principle that a local body should bear at least half of the gross expenditure on primary education within its area. It is true that this principle has been relaxed in the case of the Local Boards, but this was from sheer necessity, those bodies having an inelastic revenue wherewith to meet a rapidly expanding expenditure. In the case of Municipalities in the great majority of which these financial conditions do not exist, Government, in November, 1912, raised its educational grants to the full half of the then existing gross municipal expenditure on primary education. It is probable that there are numerous instances where, owing to the subsequent growth of such expenditure, the grants so fixed now fall below that proportion. Government are therefore ready to allow part of the new allotment to be granted to Municipalities, but on the usual condition that the total grant to any Municipality on account of primary education shall not exceed the maximum limit of one-half of its gross expenditure on that object. The result is that a Municipality whose expenditure still only equals the Government grant will have to pay one-half of any new expenditure it incurs on improving the pay of its teachers, while those Municipalities which have already increased their expenditure will pay less than one-half of any fresh expenditure of the same nature. The Governor in Council trusts that this concession will serve as an inducement to Municipalities to devote funds to improving the pay of their educational staffs.

MAHOMEDAN EDUCATION IN SIND.

The following Press Note has been issued by the Government of Bombay:—

In a pamphlet entitled "Mahomedan Education: Recent Developments in the Bombay Presidency" published in March last, reference was made to a proposal for encouraging secondary education among the Mahomedans of Sind by the institution of a large number of scholarships. The whole question has since been investigated, and a comprehensive scheme formulated, under the provisions of which 133 scholarships will eventually be awarded annually at a cost of Rs. 20,000. Each scholarship will run for four years, so that when the scheme is in full working order, there will be 532 scholarships to be enjoyed at an annual cost of Rs. 80,000. The scheme further contemplates large non-recurring grants for the extension and improvement of existing madressahs, hostels and similar buildings.

Government have concurred in the opinion expressed by the Commissioner in Sind, which is endorsed by the Director of Public Instruction, that the most effective and economical way of promoting secondary education in Sind is by a system of scholarships tenable at existing Madressahs or at recognised Anglo-vernacular schools with hostels attached to them, and not by the creation of a number of new secondary schools specially intended for Mahomedans. The scheme submitted by the Commissioner in Sind has therefore received the general approval of Government, but funds are not available to carry it out forthwith in its entirety. A recurring grant of Rs. 20,000 has, however, been allotted, with effect from the current year, for the initiation of the scheme, and the balance of the expenditure will be provided gradually as funds permit. Detailed proposals for the utilization of this allotment have already been called for.

POONA RACING.

FOURTEENTH DAY.

HORSES LEFT IN.

(From Our Racing Correspondent.)

POONA, Oct. 1.

As there will be eight races, it will necessitate the first race starting at 2-45 p.m., and as no changes can be made in the timing of the race special, intending visitors to Poona who wish to see the first race run will have to leave Bombay by the train leaving Victoria Terminus at 8 a.m. on Saturday.

DALHOUSIE PLATE. Distance 7 furlongs—Chobham (9st), Ute (8st 11lbs), Pension (8st 9lbs), Forfeit (8st 6lbs), Borgie (8st 4lbs), Canberra (8st 1lb), and Dancing Mistress (7st 5lbs).

OCTOBER PLATE. Distance about 5 furlongs.—Impecunious (9st 12lbs), Lola (9st 9lbs), Lady Douglas (9st 7lbs), Sly Kiss (9st 2lbs), Veera (9st 1lb), Bally Sand (8st 11lbs), First Venture (8st 11lbs), Seigneurie (8st 11lbs), Partial Eclipse (8st 9lbs), Lord Reay (8st), Beryl (7st 12lbs), Audlia (7st 8lbs), Lady Muriel (7st 8lbs), Grand Boy (7st 6lbs), Loch Sicker (7st 2lbs), and Lady Pranjip (7st 2lbs).

YILDIZ PLATE. Distance 1¼ miles.—Beyrut (9st. 5lbs), Solar Star (8st 7lbs), Terror (8st 6lbs), Haify (8st 3lbs), Harry Johnson (8st 2lbs), Valens (8st 2lbs), Sweden (7st 12lbs), Longboat (7st 4lbs), British King (6st 7lbs), and Last Chance (6st).

GHORPURI PLATE. (Division I.) Distance 1 mile.—Guinea Merchant (9st 7lbs), Newmarket (9st 7lbs), Grequa (9st 5lbs), Mars (9st), Excelsior (8st 13lbs), Malacca (8st 9lbs), Sir Peter (8st 4lbs), Biglig (7st 13lbs), Shanghai (7st 13lbs), Investment (7st 12lbs), Aden (7st 11lbs), Triumph (7st 8lbs), and Nasirabad (7st 3lbs.)

Division II.—Malayeb (9st 4lbs), Huddai (9st 4lbs), Royalist (8st 2lbs), King Mac (9st 2lbs), Heliograph (9st 2lbs), Nawag (9st), Khedavi Misser (8st 13lbs), Sphere (8st 10lbs), Nayel Pasha (8st 7lbs), Monitor (8st 2lbs), Eldorado (8st 2lbs), Dardanelles (8st), Powerful (7st 12lbs), Highborn (7st 11lbs), and Jemadar (7st).

BAGHDAD PLATE. Distance 1 mile.—Haify (9st 8lbs), Tulwar (9st 3lbs), Bhatty Chief (8st 12lbs), Longboat (8st 10lbs), Maidania (8st 8lbs), Serpent (8st 6lbs), Good Gold (8st), Ajmer (8st), Nawabzada (8st), Clarenceux (7st 13lbs), Best Chance (7st 13lbs), Alwar (7st 10lbs), Thabashir (7st 6lbs), and Welcome (7st 6lbs).

KOLHAPUR PLATE. Distance 6 furlongs.—Tofic Pasha (9st 9lbs), Raspberry (9st 3lbs), Fado (9st), Ream (9st), Bahlool (8st 9lbs), Minerva (8st 7lbs), Maidania (8st 7lbs), Dhaidan (8st 3lbs), Mat-hat-Baig (8st 1lb), Hidalgo (7st 13lbs), Tenebreuse (7st 13lbs), Abdul Aziz (7st 10lbs), Nawabzada (7st 10lbs), Durban (7st 9lbs), Dilkush (7st 7lbs), and Scorn (7st 4lbs).

SELLING PLATE. Distance 6 furlongs.—Prima, Matador, Wonderful, Quality, Minimax, Black Ivory, Rising Dawn, Kassum, Mahbul, Revivor, Aye Aye Sir, Monitor, Sir Peter, Jingle, Sweetlips, Khailan and Sirmust.

PARSI WRITERS' ASSOCIATION.

Under the auspices of the Parsi Writers' Association, Mr. S. S. Mehta, B.A., will deliver, at Bai Bhicaji Bengali School, Fort, on Monday, at 6 p.m., (S. T.), a public lecture on "The present European War and the Wars of the Mahabharat as described in the ancient Hindu books." The lecture is open to the public. Shams-ul-ulma Dr. Jivanji Jamshedji Modi, B.A., Ph.D., will preside.

BOMBAY POLICE COURTS.

ALLEGED INSULT.

FURTHER EVIDENCE RECORDED.

At the Esplanade Police Court, on Friday, Mr. A. H. S. Aston, Chief Presidency Magistrate, resumed the hearing of the cases in which Lt.-Col. S. H. Burnett, I.M.S., charged Mr. Dosabhoy J. Dhondy with insult and Mr. Dhondy charged Col. Burnett with assault. Mr. Baker of Messrs. Little and Co., solicitors, appeared for Col. Burnett, and Messrs. C. N. Kanuga and K. F. Nariman, pleaders, appeared for Mr. Dhondy.

Mr. Dhondy, cross-examined by Mr. Baker, said he often went for a walk to the sea shore. Sometimes he went along the road and at others he walked up and down. Sometimes he went with friends with whom he talked on the way. On the day in question he went for a stroll. He came from the Swimming Bath to the Church Gate Station. He lived at Grant Road. He was not in a hurry on this occasion but was just walking along, talking with a friend. To go to his place of residence from his office he preferred a tram-car to a railway train because the car took him very near his house. On the day in question he walked from the Bath to the Church Gate Station.

Do you go as fast as a tram car?—No.

Witness further said he was walking at an ordinary pace on the day in question. He did not know whether Col. Burnett tried to pass him, before he attempted to pass him. Witness could not walk very fast. When witness tried to pass Col. Burnett the latter was not walking fast. They were engaged in a conversation. Witness did not see five persons whom Col. Burnett was about to pass. He did not know who were the persons referred to here. There were no persons in front of Col. Barnett and his friends but when he (the witness) tried to pass Col. Burnett and his friends there were four Parsis ahead of him. Col. Burnett was ahead of the Parsis. Witness first passed the Parsis and then Col. Burnett. He attempted to pass Col. Burnett's friends who were on the left hand side of the Colonel. The Parsis were in front of the witness and behind Col. Burnett. Witness was short-sighted. He happened to push Capt. Harkness, whose pardon

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THE BOMBAY CHRONICLE.
Saturday, October 3, 1914.

THE OPERATIONS IN FRANCE.

What is described by our London Correspondent in his interesting letter in to-day's issue as the "nerve-racking" reticence of the Censor is more than usually trying at the present juncture. Just as we were left without illumination after the news that General Kluck had turned aside from Paris and was making towards the east, until we learnt the result of the great victory won by the Allies in the Battle of the Marne, so now, when everything points to the imminence of another victory of great moment on the German right, we are told day after day that progress has been made here and there, or that "the situation is unchanged," or that "fighting of the most violent character is in progress;" while every now and then there are long intervals during which the wires produce nothing but a few desultory messages concerning the inevitable victories in Galicia and the triumphant campaign of the Servians in Bosnia. There will be plenty of sympathy in India with the complaint so strongly expressed in England, that, with the exercise of a little more intelligence the Censor might well provide the public with a daily ration of news, without publishing anything that need imperil the safety of the operations in the field. It is curious that during that long and anxious phase when the Allies were steadily retreating in front of the German advance to Paris, the authorities were much more generous with their news of events that were calculated to, and did, cause apprehension in certain quarters, than they are now that it is the enemy who are on the defensive.

But that the operations at present in progress can have but one result, and that a fresh German retreat, we think there is little doubt, and there seems little doubt but that the accomplishment of this result is imminent. It has been apparent for some time,—we pointed it out several days ago,—that the Germans have made up their minds to an enforced withdrawal on a new line of defence stretching from Antwerp to Liege and through Luxemburg. It is of the highest importance to these plans that they should succeed in wresting Antwerp from the Belgians before they are compelled to take up this new position; and much depends, again, on their ability to extricate their Right from the precarious position in which apparently it has been placed by the operations since the crossing of the Aisne. The desperate plight of part of the German right is compared in Paris, so says a Reuter's telegram to-day, to that of General Cronje at Paardeberg. If this be so, its annihilation or surrender, as in the case of Cronje's force must be accomplished in a very short while. The French and British troops in this region have been strongly reinforced, not only by troops, but apparently by a contingent of big naval guns, which it is said have rendered untenable position after position in the neighbourhood of Peronne which the German guns were trying to hold. It remains to be seen whether the skill which enabled General Kluck, after the defeat on the Marne, to save himself from a complete separation from the co-operating army in the centre, and to get away quickly enough to enable his troops to take up a new defensive position, will again serve him in this supreme struggle north of the Aisne. But if the German right is broken, and all the predictions suggested by the news of the past few days, scrappy as it has been, are fulfilled, the ability of the enemy to take up the dispositions for which they have been preparing in their rear will become very questionable. Everything depends on the question whether the end of the present struggle leaves their forces so far unimpaired as to be able to conduct their retreat with a fair semblance of orderliness and minus the danger of any successful attempt to cut off any part of their army. And that is doubtful. At the same time it has to be remembered that the Allies are not now dealing with an over-confident enemy, embarked on a daring and precarious piece of strategy, taking enormous risks, and with one wing of its army actually, strategically speaking *en l'air*. They have to deal with troops who have learnt many lessons, and commanders who realise probably that caution and the strictest adherence to strategical and tactical probabilities is as essential to their present safety, as risk and daring was formerly to the success of their offensive strategy. This possibly accounts for the prolongation of the struggle on the present line, and the desperate efforts that have been made again and again to secure some sort of advantage which would cover and secure the safety of the inevitable retirement.

INDIA AND THE WAR.

India will be gratified with the news that a portion of the force she is contributing to the allied armies has been landed in France. Nothing beyond this bare announcement is permitted, but we may expect that some of our troops will shortly be in the firing line if they are not there already. We shall hear no more of them probably until news of the results of operations in which they have been engaged begins to come through. But whenever that may be, confidence in their capacity and courage assures us that they will add fresh glory to the splendid roll of achievements of British arms in Belgium and France. The English papers which arrived by yesterday's mail are in a hot glow of enthusiasm, gratified astonishment and pride at the splendour of India's support of the Empire in this crisis. Reuter's telegram describing the scenes in Parliament when the Viceroy's telegram, detailing the long roll of offers of assistance, was read out, did but the barest justice to the tremendous impression created in both houses. The "Daily Telegraph" says that it was an unforgettable occasion in Lords and Commons, which "thrilled with enthusiasm" over the loyalty of the Princes and Peoples of India.

"The Under-Secretary was excited, and well he might be. Members did not conceal their amazement as the recital proceeded. The catalogue of the great Chiefs who are leading or sending contingents to the front, who are opening their treasure-houses, offering their horses, and placing even their private jewels at the disposal of the British Raj, was listened to with gathering excitement.

"And this was the India where "unrest" has been rife of late, and where the Kaiser and his Ministers confidently expected a revolution in case of war. It made members gasp. No one had ever thought of such an outpouring of loyal trust and faith. Not a State was lacking in a glorious catalogue, which brought back to mind long passages in the Second Iliad, and Mr. Roberts, like Homer, would have wanted "ten tongues, ten mouths, and a voice unwearied" to tell the tale in full."

Thus India, so long neglected in Parliament, has come into her own, and at last won the attention of crowded benches, listening with gathering excitement, to the tale of her loyalty. Is it too much to hope that, when this hour of danger is past, when the dazzling splendour of her loyalty is no longer the theme of discussion; when the sordid details of administration, political grievances and the equity of financial adjustments have to be faced, the House of Commons, which on September 9th, 1914, was crowded with excited members, will not, as in past years, be a dreary waste of deserted benches?

Mr. H. A. Sams, I.C.S., on return from leave becomes the Postmaster-General of the Central Circle. Mr. M. P. Byrne at present officiating will relieve Mr. Tullock and Mr. Tullock proceeding on leave preparatory to retirement.

Notes of the Day

Germany and Indian Troops.

Herr Bernhard Dernburg, a former German Colonial Secretary, who is engaged with the Ambassador at Washington in a determined attempt to persuade the citizens of the United States that their interests lie on the side of the Kaiser, has written to the New York "World" says "India" to protest against the intervention of Japan and "the employment of Bengal cavalry" against such pioneers of Prussian "culture" as the Uhlans. He rails against both as "a reversal of the dignity of the white man"; and has met with a swift reply. For the following has appeared in the editorial columns of the same newspaper:

It is natural enough that Great Britain should bring up her Indian troops, who, by the way, are as completely identified with the Aryan race as the Prussians, but, no matter what their race may be, they are part of Great Britain's regular military power. If Germany were at war with the United States her troops would have to meet our negro cavalry, than whom there are no better soldiers in uniform. The German denunciation of the Indian troops is as futile as the German denunciation of the Japanese as "yellow bellies." It is too late to draw the colour line in the war.

A Curious Sort of Prejudice.

As for the German Ambassador, Count Bernstorff, who has been deluging the New York "Independent" with similar denunciations, the "unconditional" opposition to the use of African and Asiatic troops to which he has incautiously committed himself is described as a "curious" sort of prejudice on the part of a diplomatic representative of a Government that is seeking to bring Turkey into the conflict and trying to persuade her to instigate a holy war in Egypt and India. "India" appropriately suggests that the money these two gentlemen are pouring out like water to poison the wells of information would be better spent on teaching German officers and soldiers the elements of civilised warfare? If the presence of Indian troops at the front produces no other result, it will at any rate teach the "modern Huns" some useful lessons in that direction.

How Germany Prevented Peace.

The view that Germany deliberately provoked the war, and had been laying her plans for it for a long time is now fairly general. The number of people holding a contrary view grows less and less, as revelation after revelation comes of the deliberateness of her design, the manner in which she egged on her weakminded partner, Austria, to the attack on Servia, and her attempts to prevent the efforts to make peace between Austria and Russia. In a recent official volume published by the Russian Government, a letter from M. Sazanoff, the Foreign Secretary, to the Russian Ambassador in London, dated July 28, throws further light on the working of German diplomacy just before the war and helps to confirm the general opinion of her responsibility. Mr. Sazanoff writes:—

From the private conversation between Count Portales and myself it seems highly probable that *the key to the situation lies in Berlin, and that Germany is upholding the irreconcilable attitude of Austria.* The Berlin Cabinet, which could arrest the whole development of the crisis, does not apparently exert any pressure on its ally. . . . I look with alarm at this attitude of Germany, and I submit that England could, better than any other, undertake steps in Berlin for a mutual understanding.

Roumania and the War.

It is a sad commentary on the uselessness of a war and the untold miseries which it brings in its train on innocent millions in different countries, whether near the sphere, or far removed from it, that great distress has been caused in Roumania, though she is merely an onlooker in the present struggle. But having been placed in the neighbourhood of powerful nations, now at war with each other, her trade is strangled, communications stopped, and she herself compelled to place herself on the defensive by constantly keeping her armies on a war footing. It must not be forgotten, however, that during the Balkan war, Roumania without losing anything, annexed, a large piece of territory from Bulgaria with whom she had no quarrel, and was unaffected by the terrible distress caused subsequently. Yet commercially she suffered much during that period by her exports of grain being stopped, and all able-bodied persons under the age of 40 being called upon for military service. And now the same conditions have been repeated, but with greater severity. During the second Balkan war a moratorium for the prolonged period of three months was declared. The distress was further accentuated by the outbreak of cholera and the consequent measures adopted to prevent its spread, which again affected trade considerably. Now the Government has forbidden the exportation of petroleum residues, grain, transport vehicles, coins, etc.

German attempts to save Shipping.

With reference to the fine haul by H. M.S. Cumberland of nine of the enemy's merchant vessels and one gunboat, among which is included a Hamburg-Amerika liner, it is interesting to record that an attempt was being made in America by the most prominent German shipping company, the Hamburg-Amerika Line, to create dummy corporations for the sale and purchase of German ships, so that they could be placed under the American flag to prevent their capture by British warships. This is one of the many German schemes which have been, to their mi-fortune, defeated, as according to international law the transference to a neutral flag of belligerent merchant ships must be a genuine transaction, and not a make-believe one. According to the shipping laws of the United States of America foreign built vessels are prohibited from taking any part in coastal trade, but since the passing of the Shipping Registry Bill recently they are permitted to do so. This law also allows American shipping companies to purchase foreign-built vessels and make use of them under the American flag which was formerly prohibited. The "Journal of Commerce" publishes the opinion of Solicitor Johnson, of the State Department at Washington, which no doubt is also that of President Wilson, on this rather controversial point. He considers that in accordance with international law a vessel cannot be transferred in a blockaded port, or when it is on the high seas. With this exception, a vessel can be transferred to a neutral flag, provided the transfer is not made with the intention of avoiding capture, or avoiding any other of the consequences of the war, or any private understanding, but with the intention of making a *bona fide* sale, the vessel not to be retransferred after the war is over.

Right of Neutrals to Purchase.

As regards the right of neutrals to purchase a ship that right is bounded by these exceptions relating chiefly to contraband and blockade, as a neutral state is authorised to trade with belligerents, although in many instances this rule has been more honoured in the breach than in the observance. During the long-drawn war with Napoleon, England which was without a rival on the seas, prohibited trading with belligerents altogether, and although this prohibition was very much resented by other nations, they were helpless in the matter as they could not enforce their views. After the war was over, however, and peace conditions were restored, Great Britain abandoned this position. Mr. Johnson further holds that the London Convention of 1909 although not ratified by the Signatory Powers, including the United States, supports him in this view. With this declared intention of America not to give a loophole to Germans to save their ships from being captured in case they should venture on the high seas with goods for Germany, which may be essential to her at this juncture, it should be an easy matter for Great Britain still further to handicap Germany in this struggle, and also swell her number of prize ships.

INDIA'S GIFT.

"The Nation" gives special prominence to the following double-leaded leading article in its issue of September 12:—

It seems to us to be in the true order and significance of our national life that the day which brought us Sir John French's soul-moving narrative of the conduct of the British Army from the 23rd to 28th of August offered to the Mother Country the spectacle of India's tender of herself to the service of Britain. With Sir John French's despatch before us, we may almost say that two of the greatest passages in our military history are the stories of retiring battles fought and won against overwhelming pursuers. But we call it a still greater thing for Britain to have found and opened the path to what we may truly call a British Empire, for this adventure is in the true line of our political genius. So far as the autonomous British States are concerned, the way has long been cleared, partly by circumstance, partly by the tardy wisdom of our statesmanship, taught by one sharp experience. But when we looked at India we always hesitated, and if our real approach was that of Plato's good governor, whose interest was in the well-being of the governed, our formal attitude resembled that of the conqueror. Seven years ago, at Lord Morley's bidding, we took the right turning and forsook the wrong, eschewing the theory on which Germany has built her conception of world-policy and adopting that on which our real colonial development stood. The reply is before us. It is, of course, a splendid novelty to show the world hundreds of Indian Princes in our European battle-line. But India's approach is closer, if less spectacular, than this. The Indian Army moves to Europe not merely with the consent but with the enthusiastic approval of Indian native statesmanship of all types, from the most extreme to the most moderate, and of every powerful denomination of Indian society and religion. Essentially, she sends her contingent, as Australia and Canada send theirs—and as South Africa, by the mouth of the chief Boer General, repays Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman's statesmanship with the loyalty of a Continent—in the garb of a free gift. Clive and Hastings brought home no such spoil as this. Part of the careful German calculation as to the weakness of the Allied Forces rested on a full expectation of trouble in India, South Africa, and Ireland. Let British men and women ask themselves why it went astray and for what this guerdon of Indian loyalty is a return.

DESPERATE PLIGHT OF GERMAN RIGHT.

PREPARATIONS FOR A RETREAT.

BERLIN PAPER'S FRANK CONFESSION.

INFLUENCE OF BRITISH REINFORCEMENTS.

INDIAN TROOPS IN FRANCE.

AUSTRIANS FORTIFYING VIENNA.

Although the latest official communique, which was issued in Paris on Thursday, is reticent about the progress of the supreme encounter now in progress on the Aisne, beyond saying that the general impression remains satisfactory, according to a London message "the desperate plight of part of the German right" is compared in Paris to that of General Cronje at Paardeberg in the South African War.

It is also reported in Ghent that the Germans have bridged the Meuse at five places to facilitate their retirement.

Evidently the German position is getting worse daily, for even a Berlin journal frankly acknowledges that "the great French advance on our flank and the influence of British reinforcements have been more and more felt." The German disillusion about the vigour of the French attack has been complete, for the same journal adds that it "deserves just appreciation and has taught all who expected an easy time a lesson."

German bombardment of the Forts of Antwerp has upto now proved abortive.

The Indian troops have landed in France, but the Press Bureau has not permitted any further news about them.

In spite of official assurances given at Vienna, the news of the Russian invasion of Hungary is exciting the gravest apprehensions throughout the Monarchy and fortifications around Vienna are being rapidly pushed on.

The duel continues at Tsingtau in a more or less desultory way. A German destroyer is said to have been sunk by Japanese siege guns; a Japanese mine-sweeper was blown up at the cost of several killed and wounded; and the Japanese positions are being subjected to a severe cannonading by the enemy.

In reply to Italy's representations to Austria regarding the Adriatic mine menace, the latter has promised to do all in her power to avoid a recurrence of the trouble complained of.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.)

VIOLENT ENGAGEMENT.

RESULTS IN ALLIES' FAVOUR.

FRESH PROGRESS IN ARGONNE.

ANTWERP, Oct. 2, 2-40 a.m.

Thursday's official communique issued at eleven in the evening said that there was nothing particular to report except in the Roye region where a violent engagement fortunately turned in our favour and in Argonne where we have made some fresh progress. The general impression remains satisfactory.

GENERAL SITUATION UNCHANGED,

LONDON, Oct. 1, 4-45 p.m.

A Paris communique says: "The general situation is unchanged; but we progressed on our left to the north of the Somme and on our right in Southern Woevre."

GERMAN RIGHT'S DESPERATE PLIGHT.

LONDON, Oct. 1.

The desperate plight of part of the German right is compared in Paris to that of General Cronje at Paardeberg.

Four thousand Germans occupying the quarries of Lassigny, are being shelled into inevitable surrender.

GERMAN PREPARATIONS FOR A RETREAT.

LONDON, Oct. 1.

It is reported in Ghent that the Germans have constructed five bridges across the Meuse between Givet and Namur to facilitate their retirement from France. All wounded have been removed from Brussels.

GERMAN PAPER'S FRANKNESS

INFLUENCE OF BRITISH REINFORCEMENTS.

APPRECIATION OF FRENCH ATTACK.

LONDON, Oct. 1.

The "Berliner Tageblatt" publishes a leading article which is quite different from usual German articles. It explains frankly the position in the battle of the Aisne and says:—The great French advance on our flank and the influence of British reinforcements have been more and more felt. But many enemies bring much honour. We have forced our way through the forts of St. Mihiel but found the French in a strong position west of the Meuse. The obstinacy of the French attack deserves just appreciation and has taught all who expected an easy time, a lesson.

BIG NAVAL GUNS ON THE FIELD.

MAGNIFICENT WORK DONE.

LONDON, Oct. 1.

The "Manchester Daily Despatch" says that by great enterprise several big naval guns have been conveyed to Peronne where they did magnificent work last week. After they had got a range they destroyed completely a German battery with first five discharges. After that they rendered untenable position after position which the German guns were trying to hold.

INDIAN TROOPS IN FRANCE.

LONDON, Oct. 1, 7-10 p.m.

The Press Bureau sanctions the announcement that the Indian troops have landed in France. No further news thereanent is permitted.

LATEST CABLE.

(Received after 2 a.m.)

RUSSIAN OPERATIONS.

GERMANS' PRECIPITATE RETREAT.

CAVALRY'S VIGOROUS ATTACKS.

PETROGRAD, Oct. 2, 11-50 a.m.

Russian operations are developing brilliantly.

A communique announces that the enemy continues to be driven from the borders of the governments of Suwalki and Lomza.

Fighting has been especially determined west of Symno. The Germans who attacked Ossowetz are retreating precipitately northward.

The enemy is massing forces in Petrokoff and Kielce districts, but the Russian cavalry is frustrating the enemy's movements by vigorous attacks.

SIEGE OF ANTWERP.

VIGOROUS REPLY TO GERMAN GUNS

ARTILLERY DUEL ALONG WHOLE FRONT.

ANTWERP, Oct. 2, 2-40 a.m.

The Germans bombarded the fortress all Wednesday night and the forts replied vigorously. Artillery duel was continued next morning along the whole front.

Fort de Waelhem was the chief object of German attention.

ENEMY'S ABORTIVE ATTACK.

GERMAN BATTERIES DEMOLISHED.

ANTWERP, Oct. 2, 2-40 a.m.

An official announcement says that after a prolonged cannonade the Germans yesterday evening advanced against Fort de Wavre. Darkness rendered the attack abortive. Some German batteries in course of the day, ventured too near the forts and were demolished.

GERMANS RETIRE IN DISORDER.

MANY KILLED AND WOUNDED LEFT

ANTWERP, Oct. 2, 2-40 a.m.

There was fight lasting two and a half hours south of Rumpst. The Germans retired in disorder, leaving many killed and wounded.

GERMANS RE-ENTER MALINES.

ANTWERP, Oct. 2, 2-40 a.m.

The Germans have re-entered Malines, which the Belgians bombarded.

THE AGA KHAN'S OPINION OF GERMANY.

INDIA'S OPPORTUNITY.

LONDON, Oct. 1, 7-20 p.m.

The Aga Khan to-day addressed an enthusiastic gathering of members of the Indian Ambulance Corps and volunteers for it. Mr. Gandhi was chairman.

The Aga Khan congratulated those present on going to the front and said he would be proud and happy to make one of their number. This was by no means improbable. If he was unable to obtain a combatant post, he hoped to accompany them as interpreter. Germany, he continued, has been posing for years past as a sort of Protector of Islam, but Heaven forbid that we should have such an immoral Protector. Educated classes in India regard Great Britain's need as India's opportunity, and are prepared to spend their last drop of blood and all their treasure for the Empire. Blood will not be shed in vain if it leads to the disappearance of differences of opinion in India.

The Aga Khan made a donation of two hundred sterling to the Corps.

ADRIATIC MINES.

AUSTRIA'S ASSURANCES TO ITALY.

LONDON, Oct. 1.

Austria has promised Italy to take immediate measures to prevent the recurrence of mine disasters.

INDIAN NATIONAL CONGRESS.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

AMRAOTI, Oct. 2.

The Berar Congress Committee recommends Mr. Bhupendranath Basu for the presidentship of this year's Indian National Congress.

INVASION OF HUNGARY.

MONARCHY APPREHENSIVE

VIENNA FORTIFICATIONS BEING PUSHED ON.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.)

LONDON, Oct. 1.

In spite of official assurances in Vienna that there is no occasion for anxiety, the news of the Russian invasion of Hungary is exciting the gravest apprehensions throughout the Monarchy. Fortifications around Vienna are being rapidly pushed on.

New cases of cholera are reported daily in Vienna and in various districts of Hungary.

COLONEL GORDON A PRISONER.

LONDON, Oct. 1, 7-20 p.m.

It is now known that Lieut-Colonel Gordon, of the Gordon Highlanders, is a prisoner in Germany.

THE GORDONS SURPRISED.

NARRATIVE OF A SURVIVOR.

The "Daily Mail's" special correspondent, writing from Boulogne, gives the following narrative of how the Gordon Highlanders were surprised after the Battle of Mons:

Incredible as this narrative may appear, it was told to me in good faith by Private A. Black, of G. Platoon, 1st Gordon Highlanders, formerly railway signalman at Grantown (a small town on Speyside, Scotland,) who has made a similar report to Mr. Farmer, the British Vice-Consul.

Here is Private Black's statement:—The Gordons were in action all day on Sunday (August 22) at Mons. On Monday we retired to a new position, marching all day. On Tuesday we were in action again and suffered considerably through the enfilading fire of German machine guns, mounted on motor-cars, which caught us in the trenches.

At eleven o'clock that night the word was passed along to retire. We rose quietly and slipped away, warning other trenches as we went. Before starting we were told that we had a long march, and were bidden to get rid of all the weight we could. Most of us left our packs in the trenches.

About one or two o'clock in the morning as we were marching down a narrow road, taking the sides in order to go as quietly as possible, we were fired on from a field on the left.

The word passed that it was a French picket. We thought we were retiring on the French lines.

Our colonel (Colonel W. E. Gordon, V. C.) ordered us to line the barbed wire fence in the field on the right hand of the road and went alone into the field on the left, calling out, "Les Anglais, les Anglais!"

We heard them answer him, and it was evident that he was trying to make them understand, still thinking they were French.

THE COLONEL IN FRONT.

While we were waiting behind the fence the Germans were getting round us on the far side.

The colonel then came back across the road and into our field and stood in front of us. We were quite helpless. We stood there surrounded.

For a few minutes we were talking quietly in the dark asking each other what was going to happen.

I heard one word. "Highlanders!" and then they began to shoot. I dropped at once for shelter.

"Darky" Wilson, who had been with me all through in the trenches, said, "Now we're in for it," and fell on top of me shot dead.

Some tried to move off to the left, but there was no way to escape. The Germans were within three yards of us and shot straight at every man who was standing.

Too frightened to move, I stayed there till light came, and then crawled out and looked this way and that. It was like pictures you see with groups of dead men everywhere; I could see the colonel lying apart from the other men. A number of other Highlanders were making off in the distance. I ran after them and fell in with two others, and together we came through to Boulogne, walking the whole way.

"TREACHEROUS ENGLISH."

KAISER'S CONTEMPT FOR BRITAIN'S "LITTLE ARMY."

LONDON, Oct. 1.

The "Times" quotes from a trustworthy source the text of an order issued by the Emperor William on August 19, in which he says:—"It is my Royal and Imperial command that you concentrate your energies for immediate present upon one single purpose, that is, that you address all your skill and all valour of my soldiers to exterminate the treacherous English. Walk over General French's contemptible little army."

MARSHAL OF FRANCE,

LONDON, Oct. 1.

Although at the present moment there is no Marshal of France, a decree fixes the salary of the post at thirty thousand francs.

OPERATIONS AT TSINGTAU.

GERMAN DESTROYER SUNK.

JAPANESE MINE-SWEEPER BLOWN-UP.

ENEMY CANNONADE JAPANESE POSITIONS.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.)

TOKIO, Oct. 1.

A Tokio telegram says that the duel at Tsingtau continues. Yesterday the Japanese siege guns sank a German destroyer.

A Japanese mine-sweeper was blown up and another damaged. The Japanese had twenty-three killed and wounded.

The German warships severely cannonaded the Japanese positions to-day, two officers being killed.

JAPANESE TACTICS MODIFIED

"GERMANS' WEAKENING POSITION IN EUROPE.

SLOW SIEGE TO BE ADOPTED.

PEKING, Oct. 1, 7-10 p.m.

The Japanese who were driving back the Germans by fierce attacks have changed their plan to one of slow siege, owing to the weakening of the Germans' position in Europe.

CHINA'S COMMENDABLE WISDOM.

It is now improbable that there will be any friction between Japan and China, as China is treating all the war questions with commendable wisdom.

GERMAN RIGHT WING.

PLANS IF DISLODGED.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

ALLAHABAD, Oct. 2.

The Pioneer's London Correspondent cables on the 30th September:—The indications are that the Germans intend if drawn from their present position to fall back on the Antwerp-Liege-Luxemberg line of fortresses. Antwerp can be reduced by siege; howitzers are being withdrawn to Antwerp.

HOSTILE CRUISERS.

TWO EMDENS CRUISING ABOUT.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

COLOMBO, Oct. 2.

It is believed here that the Koningsburg has also adopted the name Emden in order to confuse the cruisers searching for both the vessels.

IRISH GUN-RUNNING ENQUIRY.

ROYAL COMMISSION'S REPORT.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.)

LONDON, Oct. 1.

The Royal Commission to enquire into gun-running affrays in Ireland in a unanimous report says, that the police and military were illegally employed. Assistant Police Commissioner Harrell was alone responsible, but the report also blames General Cuthbert for complying with Assistant Police Commissioner Harrell's call, as there was no ground for military intervention.

WAR GAZETTEER.

The following places are mentioned in to-day's telegrams:—

THE SOMME.—This river rises in France near St. Quentin, flows past Peronne and Amiens and enters the English channel near St. Valery.

WOEVRE.—This region is in the departments of Meuse and Meurthe-et-Moselle, France.

PERONNE.—A fortified town in France on the river Somme, 17 miles west-north-west of St. Quentin.

THE MEUSE.—A river in France, which traverses the Vosges, passes Verdun, Sedan, Mezieres, Charleville and Givet, and then runs through Belgium.

LASSIGNY.—A French town, 15 miles north of Compiegne.

ST. MIHIEL.—On the Meuse, 30 miles South of Verdun.

ROYE.—A town in France 20 miles north of Compiegne.

ARGONNE.—This mountainous district of France, comprehends the tract of country between the rivers Meuse, Marne and Aisne.

TSINGTAU.—A fortified naval base at the entrance of Kia-Chau.

GIVET.—A strong town on the fontier of France on the Meuse, 15 miles N.E. of Rocroi.

NAMUR.—A Belgian town, at the conflux of the Sambre and the Meuse, 33 1/2 miles S. W. of Liege and nearly a like distance S. E. of Brussels.

MALINES.—A Belgian city 13 miles south by east of Antwerp.

RUMPST.—A village of Belgium 12 miles south of Antwerp.

LONDON LETTER.

METHODS OF PRESS BUREAU.

INDIA'S LOYAL OFFER

UNEMPLOYMENT AND RELIEF MEASURES.

GERMAN FOREIGN OFFICE DISCLOSURES.

When the following letter left London the Germans had given up the idea of investing Paris and were hastily retreating eastward. Our Correspondent deals with the "nerve-racking silence" of the Press Bureau and the "minimum" that the people are being told by the War Office. There has been astonishing progress in recruiting during the week. India's remarkable contribution to the war has evoked great enthusiasm in England, and, says our correspondent, it conclusively proves the folly of those who have been building upon the likelihood of an insurrection in India along with other places. Our correspondent then deals with the German Foreign Office campaign in neutral countries such as Italy and America for enlisting their sympathy. Social workers are busy in providing means for the relief of the wounded and the unemployed. Our Correspondent concludes by saying that, from all considerations, England's part in the great campaign will be carried out in the most decisive fashion.

(From our Correspondent.)

LONDON, Sept. 11.

There has been since the beginning of the week, a notable change in the tone of the war news. When I wrote last Friday the German army was advancing in mass upon Paris. For many days the Allies had been in constant retreat. They were retiring we were assured, in unbroken order, but the rearward movement was unchecked. There seemed nothing to prevent the invaders from accomplishing the investment of Paris and its subjugation, while the most optimistic construction that could be put upon the situation implied an initial triumph for the invaders. On Sunday all this was altered. The Germans had made their great move to the Eastward. Paris was no longer the immediate objective. If the Germans had not received an important check, they had at all events effected a change in the main scheme. Lord Kitchener's weekly summary was a careful and encouraging statement of the events of the week, and it lent colour to the newspaper interpretations of a completely altered plan. The amateur strategists confessed to much puzzlement. They would have liked to describe the new German move without qualification as a retreat, but the experiences of the first month of the war had taught them a certain measure of prudence. If it was not a retreat, what was it? That question, like many others, will have been answered by events before this letter appears in print, and it would, therefore, be idle for me to discuss it.

NEWS STILL MEAGRE.

Our news is still meagre, extraordinarily so. Last week's outcry against the methods of the Press Bureau has had no appreciable result. Lord Kitchener, it is quite evident, is not going to relax his grip, and for all he cares Mr. F. E. Smith may continue to be the most unpopular functionary in England. The War Secretary's weekly summary of the fighting seems to have been adopted as the rule. It is not a bad rule, for after all Lord Kitchener's bulletins are fairly full, and they are composed with a certain understanding of what the people are wanting to know. Editors complain, and no wonder, of the practice of issuing them on Sunday afternoon. Assuredly, it is a time when nobody wants them, and it gives altogether unfair advantage to the two or three papers ("The Times" among them) who have taken to issuing late war editions to disturb the quiet of Sunday tea-time. Will the Government continue to dole out news in this fashion, telling us nothing, or next to nothing, day after day of the progress of the battle that is understood to be the biggest in all history? Of one thing we may be quite sure: so long as Lord Kitchener is at the head of the War Office, we shall be told the minimum. But even that minimum, people feel, might consist of a daily tale of facts, with some indication of what the British army is actually doing upon the immense battlefield. The English are an astoundingly long suffering people. They are complaining, of course: that always goes without saying. But none the less they remain patient under this nerve-racking silence. Those who went through the experiences of the Boer War will remember the scenes accompanying the publication of the casualty lists. There are no such scenes to-day. The names of officers killed and wounded are being printed in the newspapers, but not those of the rank and file. Silently, therefore, the blows fall upon the stricken relatives. A private message

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from the Headquarters carries the news to them,—and already by the beginning of September, the tale of losses, in the space of a little over a fortnight, was almost as heavy as that of the whole three-years war in South Africa, counting disease as well as wounds.

PROGRESS OF RECRUITING.

If there were some who thought that the casualties were being kept back because of the possible effect of publication upon recruiting, that opinion is no longer tenable. In the Guildhall a week ago the Prime Minister announced that since the beginning of the war more than 300,000 men had joined the colours. If it had not been for the patent mismanagement at the beginning, the number would have been greatly augmented. The astonishing progress of recruiting, since Mr. Asquith spoke is proof of this,—notwithstanding the financial consideration of which mention is made in another paragraph. Whether the war may be long or short (and there seems little hope of its being other than prolonged), the recruiting experiences of these weeks will have important and permanent results. We are proving that the old martial spirit of England survives in full strength, while the stories that are coming over of the behaviour of officers and men in the field show that the Englishman to-day is prepared to risk his life with all the dare-devil courage that was supposed to be almost the monopoly of his ancestors. On the other hand, the least military among us may recognise that the training of large numbers of young men, most of whom we hope may never be called upon to play their part in battle, should have a beneficial effect upon the population, debilitated as it has been by generations of living in towns.

INDIAN AND "OTHER" REINFORCEMENTS.

We learned yesterday of the extent of India's contribution to the war forces, and the newspapers are enthusiastic upon the subject, especially as regards the Indian Princes. The Viceroy's dispatch, summarising the remarkable offers of assistance from all parts of India, was read by the Under-Secretary in the Commons, and thus for the first time England is enabled to understand in how high a degree India may be a shield of the Empire in wartime. The revelation is doubly gratifying,—first for the proof of the manner in which the Princes and representative bodies of India took upon the British connection; secondly because, it furnishes to the world so striking a demonstration of the folly of those who have been building upon the likelihood of insurrection in India in case of a European war. There would seem to be no room for doubt that the Government in Berlin counted definitely upon the certainty of civil war in Ireland, and it is reasonable to conclude that they saw in India also, and in Egypt, the possibility of serious embarrassment. If this was so, their disillusion is complete. The India Contingent should be of immense value in France, for among other things it will add to those portions of the army of the Allies which have had actual experience of warfare. Whether at the time of writing the Allies have received those other reinforcemnts which have been so vigorously discussed, in private, is not positively known. Two days ago the Press Bureau passed a telegram from Rome announcing that 250,000 Russian troops are now in France. Of course, they may be, this is going to be a war of great surprises; but the Press Bureau, as we should expect, "has no confirmation of the report." You will know the facts as soon as we know them. Indeed before this letter is in print; your readers will probably know, not only the facts about the Russian reinforcements, but also the story of their first exploits.

THE GERMAN NEWS FACTORY.

Piece by piece the elaborate system of Foreign Office is being disclosed. Last week an official White Paper made us acquainted to some extent with the methods employed, and since then we have been provided with a few surprising illustrations. The neutral countries, especially perhaps Italy and Holland, are being flooded with German news, while in America the official campaign is being conducted with almost unlimited resource. Two booklets,—one of them a summary of the German White Books,—have been published in English for the benefit of the American public. These, I think, are not especially mischievous. Indeed the propaganda carried out by the German White Book is practically confined to the German case against Russia and is on the whole not unfair. The mischievous part of the enterprise is the supply of news to the Press,—much of it of an utterly astounding character. It is natural enough that Germany should announce to the world a series of unexampled triumphs for her arms. It is not altogether surprising that she should describe the Allies as demoralised, the British public as hostile to the war, and the recruiting movement as a complete failure. We need not wonder that the German Press Bureau should take all possible care to minimise the losses in the field. But it is going far beyond these simple and harmless enterprises. Not content with dressing up news it is manufacturing it with an ingenuity to which the Press of England or even of America, can furnish no parallel. German papers to hand this week, for example contain reports of an alleged speech delivered in the Albert Hall on August 14 by Mr. John Burns, who is made to deliver a fierce denunciation of the war and a prophecy of the break up of the Empire. It is a detail worth noting that the speech is quite good Burnsian rhetoric; it might almost have been spoken by Mr. Burns. But of course it was not. Mr. Burns has been absolutely silent since he left the Government. There has been no Albert Hall meeting. In fact there have been no anti-war meetings at all since the outbreak of war, and if there had been it is perfectly certain that Mr. Burns would not have been among the speakers. It is supposed, doubtless with good warrant, that the main purpose of the German Press Bureau in devising this particular piece of news was to make trouble in the Moslem world. It seems a clumsy method; but it cannot be dismissed as negligible when we remember the vastness of the populations to which Germany is able to make her appeal.

WOMEN AND THE WAR.

This is the first war which has ever been considered, however, imperfectly, from the standpoint of the worker as well as the fighter. When the campaign began, indeed, it looked as though the concentration of the national resources would command as much attention and intelligence as the operations in the field. A Cabinet committee was immediately formed for the organisation of relief and the preparation of emergency measures in respect of trade and finance. Mr. John Burns, no longer a member of the Government, was placed at the head of another committee concerned with relief work for London, while every society and group of social workers appeared to be busily getting ready for the strain of unemployment and the dislocation of business and social life. Those who saw further than the need of the moment, or than the chance of turning the newly awakned enthusiasm to use, began immediately to urge that the aim should not be to provide relief but to prevent unemployment. They realised the danger that inevitably lurks in a great national relief fund, and in the starting of a multitude of inexperienced people upon works of charity. The first impulse of well-to-do people, called upon in a time of special upset, is to subscribe to relief funds; the second impulse, especially among women who know nothing of the labour market and the conditions amidst which the mass of the people live, is to begin furiously to provide luxuries and supposed necessities for the men at the front and the wounded. They form committees for the making of garments. They knit socks and sew pyjamas and shirts—happy, it may be, in the thought that men far away from their own homes will put them to the test. It is an unpleasant shock to such people to learn, as many of them have been learning lately, that good works as commonly understood do not necessarily mean good work for the State, or even good business. The first result, the inevitable result, of war is to throw thousands of men and women out of employment, especially perhaps men and women in the clothing trades. Distress, often destitution is their lot, even in the early stages, and the charitable busybody is cut to the heart when she is told that the more unpaid needlework is done by herself and her friends, the less paid work there must be for those whose livelihood depends on the continuance of orders from the manufacturers. She has, therefore, to accustom herself to hear that the less she meddles with work the better, with the exception of personal service in relief of distress, and that there are in effect only two or three things she can safely do. She can keep as many people as possible employed and can help with money those people of larger experience who are labouring to minimize the terrible results of the economic upheaval.

THE CONSERVATION OF RESOURCES.

Upon the Government itself there rests a very heavy burden of responsibility. By means of the Moratorium (the extension of which has aroused much discussion) it has attempted to prevent financial panic. Partly of necessity and partly in response to public demand, it has taken many steps which only a few weeks ago would have been denounced as ruinous, and the whole nation has acquiesced. The other day I heard a member of the Government declare that he and his colleagues were continually being urged to enlarge the scope of State action in this direction and that, and he was led to the conclusion that the Government might decide to take over services and businesses of almost any kind without any effectual protest being made from the private interests involved. Yet with all this, it is abundantly clear that the Government is not anxious to attempt anything beyond emergency measures, and as regards employment and expenditure is resolved to limit its action so far as may be to the provision of relief. This does not seem to be the highest wisdom, although the principle was affirmed a day or two ago by the Chancellor of the Exchequer. Mr. Lloyd George was appealed to in connection with the expenditure of public money by municipalities upon works of permanent constructive utility. He spoke against the proposal, arguing, in a fashion now become obsolete, that public authorities should be careful in times like these to keep down expenditure upon public services and to restrict themselves to relief works. The danger of this doctine is that it encourages public bodies to dismiss their employees while at the same time getting as much money as they can for distribution, from the Prince of Wales's fund and other relief agencies. Mr. George's doctrine will be vigorously opposed by many social thinkers and workers, and especially by those who believe that the great war, with all its evils, may be turned to use for the conservation of national resources.

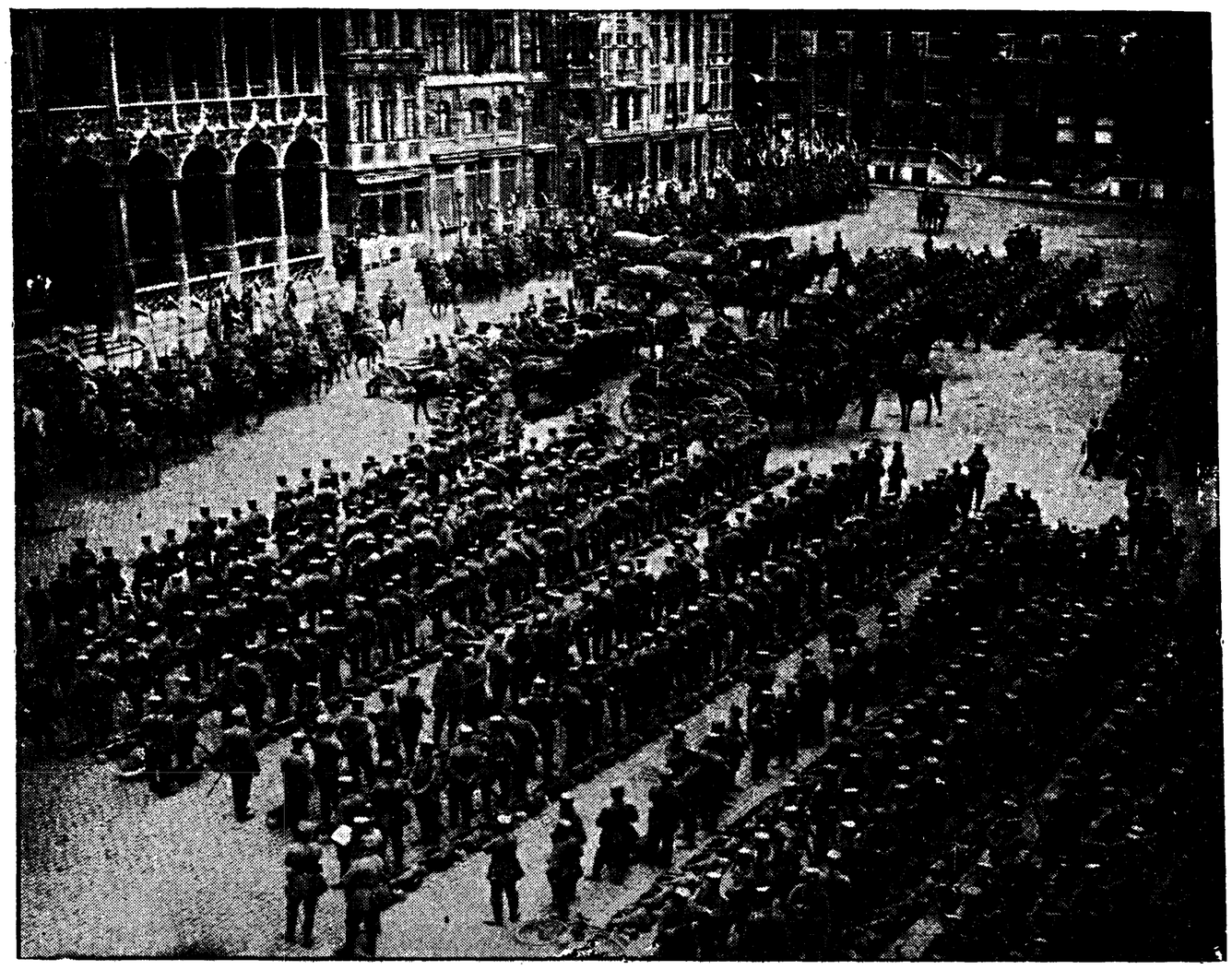
WAGES, NOT DOLES.

Thus, it was hoped that the public authorities entrusted with the spending of the relief funds (which are enormous) would be able to institute various forms of special training during the times of stress. It was hoped, for example, that the many thousands of young women who will be forced to apply for relief might be put in the way of receiving special instruction, either in trades or in domestic service, while many of the places left vacant by men who are joining the colours would be filled up by women, as they are in France and Germany. The authorities, unfortunately, do not seem capable of grasping ideas of this kind. At any rate they are everywhere going for relief and relief alone just as the unregenerate Government of India have done in years past when famine has stalked through the land. The national temper and habit in this respect have other and very serious results. For example, there is the apparently immovable notion that it is not the proper way to pay the soldier a living wage if the permission is permissible in relation to the profession of killing. This is a most curious illustration of the national character. The recruiting for the new Army has gone on with remarkable speed during the past fortnight. The response, indeed, has been the most encouraging thing, especially from those who retain their faith in the value of the voluntary principle. But the flocking to the colours has been the result of the growing belief that the nation had entered upon a long and trying struggle, a struggle which meant a challenge to the manhood of the nation. Public opinion is thoroughly aroused, and the young men of England are offering themselves. But it is no secret that during the first three weeks of the war the response was comparatively slow, and everybody is aware that a main reason was to be found in the condition of service. A man with dependents cannot throw up his work in order to join the Army, for the soldier's pay is not a wage in the sense understood in the labour market. Nor is the allowance to wives and families at all what it should be. The nation responds, of course, generously to appeals for the soldiers and Navy men, and a national fund for the wives and children of the men of the Army and the Fleet would be extraordinarily popular. But that is not the real point of the matter. The man who goes to fight for his country, especially when he goes voluntarily, should be properly paid. But it is quite certain that the British soldier, even in this greatest of wars, will not be paid a wage worth looking at, while his family, in the case of all except the men of the Territorials and those recently enlisted in the new Army belonging to the more fortunate classes, will be dependent largely upon the relief funds. There is this, however, to be said: A good many employers announce their intention of keeping open the places of men who enlist and of paying half wages during their absence,—an intention, we must suppose, contingent upon the speedy ending of the war. For the rest, one may say that the continued enthusiasm of recruiting, and the fact that in many places many more men have offered than can be enrolled, testify in a remarkable manner to the vitality of the voluntary principle and may before long make England's part in the campaign tell in the most decisive fashion.

CONDUCT IN WAR TIME.

Meanwhile a great many people must be in sympathy with an amusing wail emitted by Mr. Cunninghame Graham as to the multiplicity of advisers produced by the war. These all tumble over one another in their anxiety to get us to behave as we ought to behave in times of national ordeal. We are to remain calm, but not to calm; that would imply apathy. We are not to fuss, but at the same time each one of us should be up and doing. We are to be economical, for money spent on non-essentials is waste, and waste in days like these is more than usually sinful. But no, say another school of advisers; we must go on spending, for that means employment. Keep up our usual habits; business as usual, steady trade. Again we are told to be cheerful, to keep our spirits up; to be serious, to remember our country's danger; to go on with our regular work, or to turn away from the sordid business concerns which are so obviously out of harmony with the greatness and gravity of the world crisis. Above all, say Lord Roberts and his party, this is no time for ball games, for games of any kind: could there be a more shocking sign of our national frivolity than the sight of me of fighting age on the tennis courts, the golf links and worse still the football fields? So this party demands the cessation of all games, while those of the opposite way of thinking rejoice to see people playing in order to keep fit, or to take their minds off the carnage, or may be in order to illustrate a familiar saying of the Duke of Wellington's and show their understanding of Drake's playing bowls on Plymouth Hoe as a preliminary to the defeat of the Armada.

GERMAN OCCUPATION OF BRUSSELS.



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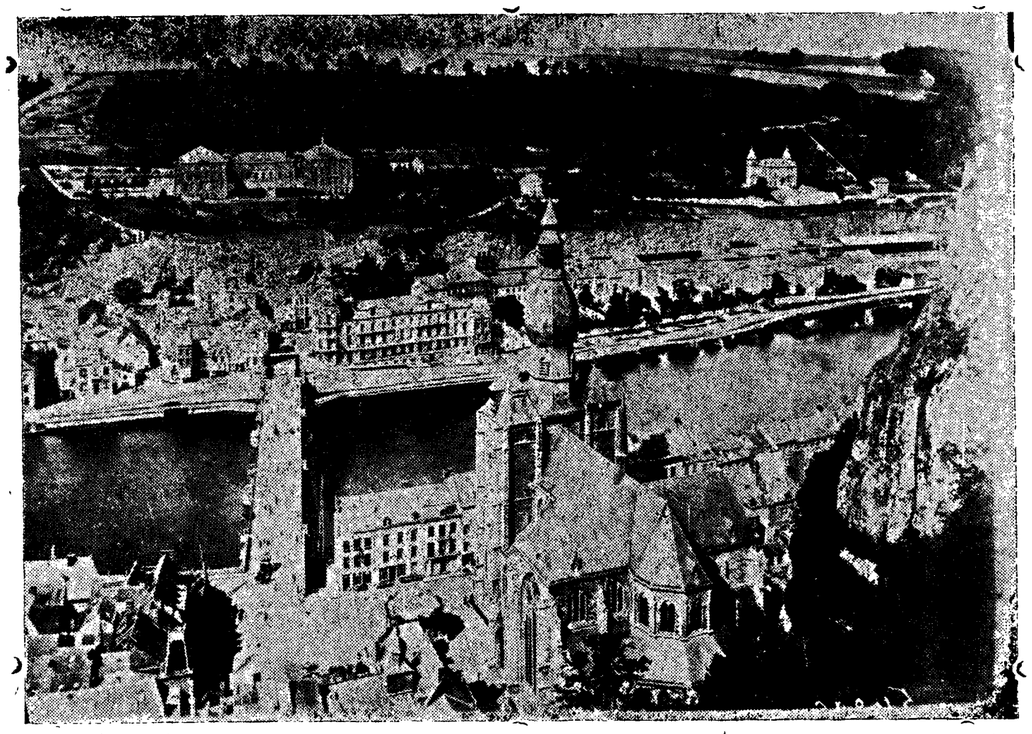
GERMAN TROOPS DRAWN UP IN THE GRANDE PLACE, BRUSSELS.

DESTRUCTION OF DINANT.



Topical war service.

FURTHER ACTS OF VANDALISM AND ATROCITY BY THE GERMANS.

The Germans sacked the pretty Belgian town of Dinant, known to so many thousands of Tourists, in a very similar way to that in which they treated the historic town of Louvain.

The photograph gives a very fine perspective view of Dinant, as taken from a considerable altitude.

DESTRUCTION OF DINANT

HUNDREDS OF ITS CITIZENS SHOT.

A Reuter's message dated September 7, from Ostend states:

The Germans, in a few hours, by shell fire and incendiarism, have destroyed Dinant.

The women were confined in convents, whilst hundreds of men were shot. A hundred prominent citizens were shot in the Place d'Armes.

M. Hummers, manager of a large weaving factory employing 2,000 men, and M. Poncelet, son of a former senator, were both shot, the latter in the presence of his six children.

The Germans appeared at the branch of the National Bank, where they demanded all the cash in the safe. When M. Wasseize, the manager, refused to do so, they tried to blow the safe open. Not succeeding in this they demanded the combination for the lock. The manager refused. On this the Germans shot him immediately, together with his two sons.

The Prussians assert that these excesses have been committed because shots had been fired, though admittedly without result, from the heights overlooking Dinant.

ALLIES' SOLIDARITY.

UNDERTAKING AS TO PEACE TERMS.

The Press Bureau issued the following statement from the Foreign Office on Saturday, September 5:—

The undersigned duly authorized thereto by the respective Governments hereby declare as follows:—

The British French and Russian Governments mutually engage not to conclude peace separately during the present war. The three Governments agree that when terms of peace come to be discussed no one of the Allies will demand terms of peace without the previous agreement of each of the other Allies. In faith whereof the undersigned have signed this Declaration and have affixed thereto their seals.

Done at London in triplicate the 5th day of September, 1914.

E. GREY, his Britannic Majesty's Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs.

PAUL CAMBON, Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the French Republic.

BENCKENDORFF, Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of his Majesty the Emperor of Russia.

HOMEWARD MAIL.

The Presidency Postmaster, Bombay, notifies that as the P. and O. Homeward English Mail steamer Persia, will not leave Bombay till to-morrow, letters for despatch by her will be received in the General Post Office up to 8 a.m., to-morrow.

THE ARYAN EXCELSIOR LEAGUE.

Mr. W. M. Dubhashi will deliver a public lecture upon 'Youth's Ideal' to-morrow at 4-15 p. m., (S. T.), in the New English School, Kashi Baug, near C. P. Tank under the auspices of the above League.

HIGH COURT.

ORIGINAL SIDE.

PRIZE COURT.

(Before Mr. Justice Macleod.)

SECRETARY OF STATE FOR INDIA v. THE GERMAN STEAMER "WARTURM" DEFENDANT. MEGHJI UMERSHI & OTHERS CLAIMANTS.

In the above matter a claim was made by Mehgji Umershi and several other merchants doing business at Carnac Bunder and Abdul Rehman Street, that the goods imported by them from Germany and brought here by the captured steamer Warturm should be delivered to them on payment of the price of the goods and freight and other charges. The Hon. Mr. Jardine appeared for the Government. Mr. D. F. Mulla appeared for the claimants. Mr. Mulla submitted that he moved on the affidavit of Mehgji Umershi's munim and six other persons. The affidavit stated that the goods were imported from Germany through Messrs. Steffens and Nolle, Ltd., who have a branch office in Bombay, that they applied to the solicitor to Government to arrange for delivery of the goods, but he referred them to the Collector of Customs. The Collector informed them that as the value of the goods was to be paid to a German firm, they should obtain an order of the Prize Court; that they were entitled to have the said goods delivered to them as they were shipped before the declaration of war and the claimants were British subjects.

Mr. Mulla, therefore, applied that the goods should be delivered to his clients on their payment of the price, freight and custom dues. Mr. Jardine submitted to the Court that the Bills of Lading of all these goods were in the name of the German firm of Messrs. Steffens and Nolle and had not even been endorsed by the Bombay branch in favour of the petitioners. That part of the affidavit therefore which stated that no enemies of the King had any interest direct or indirect in the goods or any part thereof was absolutely incorrect. Government were doing their best to meet the wishes of the people in such matters, and therefore it was necessary that such reckless statements made in the affidavit should not be allowed to remain on record. He submitted that Mr. Mulla might be directed to amend his affidavit, accordingly.

His Lordship observed that the wording in the affidavit was rather inaccurate. The wording in the affidavit that "no enemies of the King had any interest, etc., etc." mean. to convey the idea that the petitioners having indented for the goods, considered it as their own property. His Lordship ordered that the value of the goods should be paid to the Collector of Customs who would deposit it with the Bank of Bombay. On the claimants doing so and paying the freight and other charges, the goods would be delivered to them. The goods were of the aggregate value of Rs. 10,000 and consisted of cases of galvanised wire, sheets, bolts, nuts, pieces of gas tubes and sundry fancy articles.

After the above matter was finished, his Lordship enquired of Mr. E. Nicholson, Government solicitor, as to whether he was aware of any telegrams having been sent by the crew of the S. S. Warturm who were interned at Ahmednagar, complaining that some of their money and private belongings had not been returned to them. The crew had also made complaints to the effect that their pay and arrears of pay were not paid.

Mr. Nicholson did not think that any special orders were required for the purpose of handing over their private property to the crew, as the orders passed by the Secretary of State covered such cases. He was not aware whether there had been any cash on board the ship from which the crew could be paid their salary. His Lordship observed that the officers of the ship claimed the electric fans in their cabins as their private property.

His Lordship then intimated to the Government Solicitor that no special orders were required for the purpose and that the general rules issued would cover cases of complaints. such as these.

APPELLATE SIDE.

FINED Rs. 30 FOR GRIEVOUS HURT.

KNOCKED OUT TWO TEETH.

(Before Justices Heaton and Shah.)

THE KING-EMPEROR *v.* W. J. ROBERTS.

This was a reference under section 438, of the Criminal Procedure Code, made by Mr. C. C. Dutt, Sessions Judge, Khandesh, with a recommendation that the sentence of fine only was illegal. The law had considered the offence so serious as to prescribe some substantive term of imprisonment as absolutely necessary.

One Ghasi Bhima, a carpenter of Bhusawal in the East Khandesh District, prepared a shelf for the accused who is a guard in the G. I. P. Railway Company, the latter agreeing to pay for his labour. Twice or thrice the carpenter went to the accused to ask for the money, but he was not at home. Finally the complainant went to demand it on the 6th of May, 1914, and requested the wife of the accused for payment. She stated that she had no money. The accused then came out of the door of the bungalow and calling the complainant to him struck him a blow in the mouth with his fist, with the result that two teeth of the complainant were removed.

The accused was found guilty of the offence of voluntarily causing grievous hurt under section 325, I. P. C., by Mr. E. H. P. Jolly, First Class Sub-Divisional Magistrate and was sentenced to pay a fine of Rs. 30 or in default to suffer rigorous imprisonment for 15 days.

The accused admitted the main facts but pleaded in extenuation that he was acting under violent provocaion when he struck the blow. He stated that the complainant came and demanded money from his wife. When she replied that she had none, the complainant began to use abusive and filthy language to her.

The Magistrate in sentencing the accused observed: "That facts however, seem to me against this version. It would seem that accused became annoyed with the complainant's importunity and in his impatience struck him. It is amply proved that two teeth were removed and the accused admits striking the blow, which he describes however as a slap."

The accused had appeared in person before their Lordships and himself stated the circumstances of the case.

Their Lordships after hearing him did not think it necessary to interfere, but warned the accused against such action in future.

CAUSE LIST.

BOARD FOR SATURDAY, THE 3RD OF OCTOBER, 1914.

Before the Hon'ble Mr. Justice Beaman
In the Division Court No. 53.
After the Appellate Side Court Work is over.

Suits for Hearing and Final Disposal.
Long Causes.

972-13—Payne and Co, Fazalbhoy Alloo Mooraj v Jethalal Maganlal, Mulji and Tha.
284-14—Tyabji D and Co, Gulamali Mahomed Sajan v Mahomed Cassum Dharamsey and ors, Captain and V, Jeh M and S, Little and Co.
871-14—Captain and V, Jafferbhai Dattoo v Gulam Alli Mahomed Sajan and ors, Tyabji D and Co.
220-14—In Person, Mahomed Husein Tharia Topan v Nanalal Parbhuram, Mulji and Tha.
152-14—Vachha and Co, Merwanji Rustomji Mody v Anandrao Vishwanath Jayakar and anr, Little and Co.
233-13—Little and Co, Pranlal Kahandas v Raja Bahadur Shivlal Motilal and ors, Bhai K and G, Mulji and Tha.
1058-13—Khand L and M, Nagardas Laldas Shroff and ors v Rustomji Pestonji Oomrigar and Co a firm and ors, Jeh S M and H, Sm B and Co, M B Chothia, Matu J and M, Mulla and Mulla.
461-14—Surajmal and Co, Jethalal Fulchand v Haridas Premji and ors, Purnanand and Co, Moti and D.
221-14—Daph F and D, Haridas Narranji and anr v Khunji Purshotam and ors, Little and Co.
1070-13—Nadirsha and D, Narsey Dharamsey; Meghji Lakhmidas Motichand & D.
S C CT 18/746-14—Dikshit & P Chaturbhuj Vassanji v. Meghji Lakhmidas Motichand & D.
197-14—Captain & V Karson Purshotam v. Jadavji Devkaran & ors Dhunjishaw & B Rustomji & Co Vatcha and Co. Mulla & Mulla.
39-14—D J Mantri Kanayalal Vallabhdas Pardeshi v. Gowrishanker Ramchander Pardeshi Tyabjee D & Co.
933-11—Edgelow G W & Co Messrs Manekchand Kapurchand a firm v. Chunilal Nehalchand & ors Motichand & D.
829-13—Jamsetji R & D Narayen Genuji Barve Sabnis and G.
97-14—Sabnis and G Abdul Kadar Chivney v. Rustom K R Kama & ors Payne
294-14—Sm B and Co, Bhagwant Bhimaji Kale and ors v Bayaji Kushaba Kalay and ors, Jam R and D, Jeh S M and H, Sabnis and G.
304-14—Mehta D and L, Kuppa Dolla and Co a firm v Parwatibai widow and anr, Malvi H M and R.
428-14—Manecklal and Co, Bai Manghivahu widow v Vasantrao Madhusudan, Nanu H and Co.
440-14—Patell and Ez, Tribhowandas Himatlal v Pulee and Co a firm, Shroff D and D.
315-14—Daph F and D, Stephen Antony Lawrence Pereira and anr v Annie Pulcheria D'Souza, J A Vallis.
320-14—Nanu H and Co, Abba Abdulla and anr v Ayeshabai widow, Sm B and Co.
393-14—Unwalla P and P, Merwanji Rustomji Dadina v Bapuji Cawasji Khodaiji, Dubash and Co.
343-14—Hiralal and Co, J Sandars Slater v Bai Rewa widow and anr, Manecklal and Co.
364-14—Jeh S M and H, Noor Mahomed Fazalbhoy v Cassumbhoy Thavar and ors, Payne and Co, Pest E K and Co.
385-14—Bhai K and G, Kasturbai widow v Rambai widow, Tyabji D and Co.

UNIVERSITY SENATE.

COURSEFOR COMMERCE DEGREE.

An adjourned meeting of the Bombay University Senate was held yesterday evening in the Sir Cawasji Jehangir Hall of the University, Mr. Justice J. J. Heaton, Vice-Chancellor, presiding.

The meeting resumed consideration of Mr. K. S. Aiyar's proposition to accept new revised regulations and also fresh proposals for the course of studies for the degree of Bachelor of Commerce. Mr. Lalubhai Samaldass moved his amendment for including "Actuarial Science" in the special subjects mentioned in the curriculum. The amendment also included the syllabus for the same.

In support of his amendment, Mr. Lallubhai said there was a demand for this science in this country and it was, therefore, necessary to bring that fact to the notice of Government, who, he was sure, would make some provision for giving instructions in the subject. The difficulty in getting a teacher could be solved by bringing out one from England.

Mr. D. G. Padhye seconded the amendment.

Principal Anesty said that the reasons for not including "Actuarial Science" in the syllabus was that on consulting some of the local agents of the insurance companies he learnt that there was not much actuarial work done here and that when necessary they sought the help of consulting actuaries. Then there was the difficulty of getting qualified teachers. He therefore thought it wise to wait for a few years. He had no feeling in the matter and if Mr. Lallubhai and others, who were well-qualified to speak on the subject, thought it right to include it in the course, would not object to it.

Principal Paranjpye, in supporting the amendment, said that this subject was included in the curriculum of every University in Germany.

Mr. K. Natarajan thought that they would be taking a very narrow view if they said that actuarial science was required for the purposes of insurance only. It was necessary in many other directions.

Professor O. V. Muller said that there would be a fair opening for students passing in this subject. He therefore supported the amendment.

The amendment was then carried.

Another amendment in the name of Mr. Lallubhai adding in the special subjects "Organisation of Industry and Commerce" and also suggesting a syllabus for the same was then carried.

Mr. Aiyar's proposition, as modified by the various amendments that were passed, was then carried.

The meeting was then adjourned until Friday.

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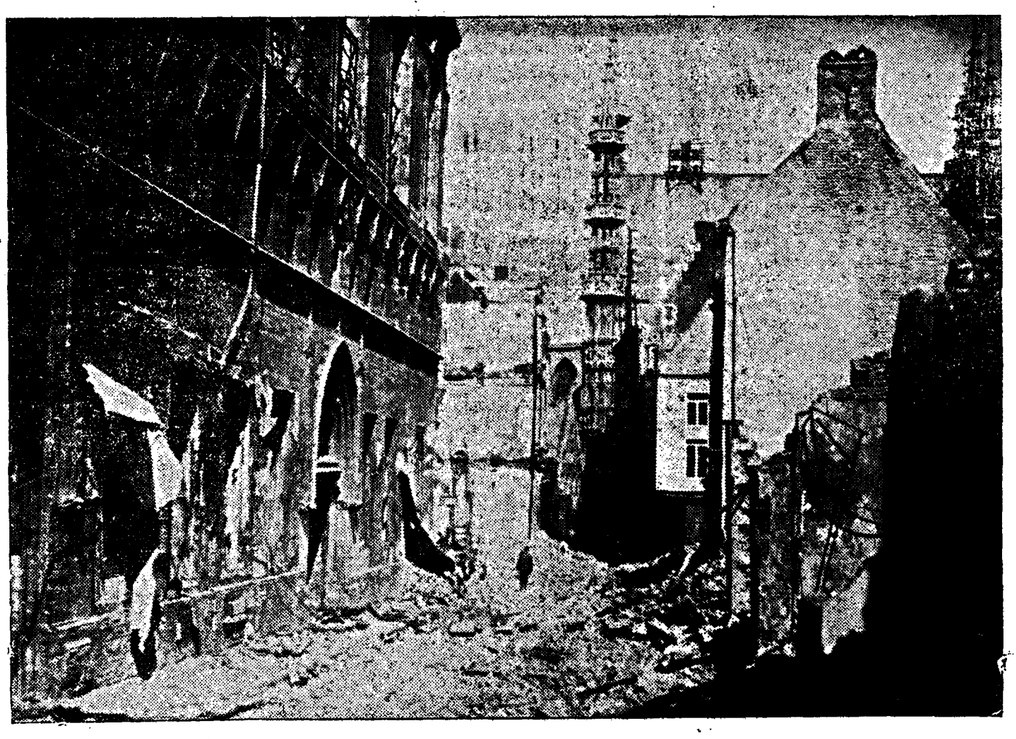

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MUNICIPAL BY-ELECTION.

Yesterday was the last day for receiving nominations for candidates to fill a casual vacancy on the Bombay Corporation caused by the death of Rao Bahadur Elappa Balaram, who was representing the Byculla ward. As two candidates have been nominated, namely, Rao Saheb Manaji Rajuji and Mr. Haji Yusuf Haji Ismail Sobani, the Municipal Commissioner has fixed Friday next for the purposes of the poll, which will be taken between the hours of 9 a.m. and 6 p.m. in a *mandap* to be erected in Sankli Street near the Municipal Assessment Office.

EDUCATIONAL NEEDS.

METHODS FOR MAKING IT MORE PRACTICAL.

A Press Note has been issued by the Government of Bombay, containing the following short summary of the methods adopted or contemplated for rendering education less formal and more practical than has hitherto been the case.

The principle underlying Government's policy, states the Press Note, is that every pupil should be helped to realize the lessons taught by the oral or written word in the fullest manner possible. To accomplish this, it is necessary to see that his intellectual conceptions are reinforced and, so to speak, made concrete by the ordinary conceptions of every-day life. In other words, his eye, with its physical vision, must be trained to strengthen his mental vision.

Two instances of this policy have recently been published in press notes one of which explained the coming introduction into this Presidency of the Sloyd system of manual training, while the other gave evidence of Government's interest in visual instruction, as manifested by allotments of early Rs. 1 lakh for the purchase of ereoscopes and stereoscopic pictures and of about Rs. 30,000 for developing the use of the magic lantern. Further, the Director of Public Instruction has recently pointed out that a very useful adjunct to lessons in geography and history is to be found in such illustrated papers as "The Graphic," "The Illustrated London News," or "The Sphere," which are generally non-political. Government have accordingly sanctioned the purchase from public funds of instructive illustrated periodicals for the use of school libraries, subject to the distinct understanding that such literature is carefully selected by the Director

MEASURES OUTSIDE THE SCHOOL.

These measures, however, are all of the nature of indoor work, but the Director, in a recent survey of the whole question, emphasizes the fact that they can be most usefully supplemented by similar measures outside the school. In the first place importance is attached to school gardens as a means of inculcating out-door observation. A year ago grants of Rs. 4,000 recurring and Rs. 5,000 non-recurring were made for the purpose of experimenting with school gardens. Hitherto it has been a matter of difficulty to find masters who are interested in natural history or gardening, and able to teach boys to observe, but with the introduction of nature study into the vernacular training colleges, and of simple science into the secondary schools, it is hoped that this state of affairs will gradually improve. The next step is the organization of excursions. In the case of primary schools the instructions for teachers issued as long ago as 1902 enjoin that object-lessons and lessons in geography should be made as practical as possible, visits being paid to fields, woods, ponds, rivers and places of historical or technical interest. More ambitious excursions have been carried out for some time past by parties from the vernacular training colleges. The Government arts colleges have been allowed Rs. 2,000 for excursions to places of historical interest, and Rs. 500 are also annually allotted to each Government high school.

But the real difficulty is to find among the teaching and inspecting staff men competent and willing to adopt and forward the new methods. The number of such men is, at present, unfortunately small, but Government have asked the Director of Public Instruction to report whether he would advocate any system of special rewards or allowances for the purpose of encouraging teachers and inspectors who possess the necessary aptitude to take up special work on any of the lines indicated. Government also view with interest the experiment of a "scout" system recently inaugurated at the Belgaum High School with a view to developing the practical and observational faculties of the pupils, and are pleased to hear that it has enlisted the interest of the masters. A report on the working of the system is to be submitted in due course.

CHARGE OF THE 600.

PRIVATE'S NARRATIVE OF COMPIEGNE FIGHT.

In a letter to his sweetheart, Private Whittaker, of the Coldstream Guards, a native of Birmingham, gives a graphic account of the fighting around Compiegne on September 1. He says:—

The Germans rushed at us like a crowd streaming from a Cup-tie at the Crystal Palace. You could not miss them. Our bullets ploughed into them, but still they came for us. I was well entrenched, and my rifle got so hot I could hardly hold it.

I was wondering if I should have enough bullets, when a pal shouted "Up Guards, and at them!" The next second he was rolled over with a nasty knock on the shoulder. He jumped up and hissed: "Let me get at em."

They still came on. When we really got orders to get at them we made no mistakes I can tell you. They cringed at the bayonets. Those on our left wing tried to get round us. We yelled like demons, and after racing as hard as we could for quite 500 yards we cut up nearly every man who did not run away.

Referring to another engagement later in the day, Private Whittaker says:—

On the left were our cavalry. The enemy's guns were blazing away, and they got us nicely. You have read of the "Charge of the Light Brigade." It was now to our chaps, I should think.

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GERMAN INTRIGUES IN WASHINGTON.

MR. O. STRAUS'S ACTIVITY.

PUBLIC OPINION UNMOVED.

"The Times" correspondent in Washington wired on September 8:—

The statement which I have ventured to make in my recent dispatches about the manœuvres of Germany to appear in Washington in a peace-loving guise are rapidly being confirmed.

Count Bernstorff visited Washington and saw Mr. Bryan. The "Chicago Herald" publishes this morning from its Washington correspondent an emphatic dispatch that this visit is due to Germany's desire to enter into negotiations for the termination of the war, and intimates that preliminary overtures have already been made. As it was the same correspondent who first announced some days ago with an air of finality that no responsible person would possibly assume that the German Ambassador was ready "to talk peace," his story deserves particular attention.

It goes as follows:—Mr. Oscar Straus, the well-known American diplomatist and pacifist, hurried recently from New York, where Count Bernstorff was at the time, and saw Mr. Bryan. Mr. Bryan conferred with the President and then had a conversation with the Ambassadors of the Allies. Mr. Straus also visited the diplomatists. After that the German Ambassador came unexpectedly to Washington and called upon the Secretary of State, returning later to New York with Mr. Straus

Unless its significance has been entirely misread, this story must mean tdhat Mr. Straus, who moves in the same society in New York at Count Burnstorff was selected or selected himself to bring to Mr. Bryan's notice the pacific utterances which had already been reported to have been spread about. That Mr. Bryan would be keenly interested goes without saying.

A NAIVE REMARK.

The "Chicago Herald's" correspondent intimates that Count Bernstorff is acting under orders from Berlin. He quotes a naive remark of "a German authority" that it is to German interests to make peace now. "We are in a position which enables us to impose terms. Were we to wait this might not be possible."

While in some quarters it is felt that overtures may have been partly prompted by a conviction that German military successes have reached their zenith, or by the existence of domestic and economic troubles of a graver nature than the world knows, the belief of many of those who are behind the scenes is that Germany is manoeuvring primarily to place us is the wrong with American opinion, and possibly to impress such remnant as there may be of the British "peace at any price" clique. To judge from Press comment upon the broad significance of the war, this effort is unlikely to succeed. Except Mr Heart's newspapers, no impartial authority has yet broached the possibility of an early peace. All Americans earnestly desire peace, but even the smug officialdom of Berlin must have been impressed by the volume of expressions of distrust and dislike of German militarism.

DESIRE FOR IMPARTIALITY.

What I have said about the desire of the American public to be impartial is borne out by the reception of the testimony of American newspaper correspondents that they have seen no evidence of German cruelty in Belgium. The vindication of German methods seems to be accepted at its face value. The New York "Times" after noting that the tables of German cruelty have helped to intensify the feeling against Germany, says:—

A large and influential portion of the American public, however, has refused to accept these charges against a well-disciplined army, and the testimony of American journalists will confirm their belief that the triumphs of the German forces could not have been secured if such irregularities were permitted among the soldiers. The Kaiser's army is the most perfect military machine in the history of warfare.

The "Tribune" takes much the same line:—

The burning of Louvain has damaged Germany is the eyes of Americans. It was an official act officially admitted. But we question whether any atrocity tales have produced the slightest effect. Germany's real sin in America's eyes is that she fights against all that America stands for, and that her victory would fasten tighter than ever the terrible burden of militarism upon the world and place the fate of mankind in the hands of the arms manufacturers and military cotories.

This impartiality is most encouraging. It shows that the sympathy with our cause is based on sound commonsense. It gives additional value to the strictures such as the "World" indulges in to-day against German mine-laying proclivities. And if American opinion is deceiving itself in the desire to be fair, the Belgian Commission which should be landing soon will be able to put that right.

A WARNING.

An additional warning has also been given to week-kneed publicists and public men at home against registering appeals for American interference of any kind. Commenting upon the suggestion of one of your weekly contemporaries that President Wilson should ask the Kaiser to define his attitude towards. The Hague Convention, the New York "Herald" says:—

Were not the suggestion apparently made in good faith it would be looked upon over here as almost as mischievous as futile.

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PRESIDENT WILSON'S ROLE.

Signs multiply of the excess of zeal which is not the least of the handicaps from which the German propagandists, from Count Bernstorff downwards, are suffering, wired the Washington correspondent of "The Times" on September 9.

According to the "New York Herald," certain members of the Diplomatic Corps are deemed by the officials of the State Department to be guilty of a breach of diplomatic propriety. Especial exception, the "Herald" states, is taken to making of "veiled criticisms of the United States in the Press without calling the matter to the attention of the State Department." The "Herald" instances the German Ambassador's statement to the reporters that British warships were taking on supplies within the three-mile limit. No attempt, it says, was made to follow up the statement with official representations that would give the Government an opportunity of showing how truly neutral it was trying to be. A similar procedure was recently taken regarding an allegation that the United States were using a wireless station in a way not in accordance with American neutrality. After taking Rustem Bey to task for the extraordinary statement sketched in yesterday's message, the "Herald" concludes:—

Ambassadors are in the position of being specially honoured guests of the nation. As such it is considered in Washington that it is hardly proper for them to criticize their host's public Press. Moreover it is not considered good form for them to indulge in newspaper propaganda to convince the public that their enemies are savages to be condemned by civilized people.

"AMERICA THE COURTED."

The Ambassadors of the Allies and the Belgian Minister, it must be repeated, have been, in spite of great provocation, most scrupulous not to lay themselves open to such criticism. They have contented themselves with soberly correcting some of the most outrageous German misstatements.

There are other signs that American opinion is getting rather tired of attempts to influence it. Under the heading "America the Courted" the "New York Press" says:—

Our favour is courted on all sides. Both parties hurry to us with tales of atrocities The Germans maintain an active propaganda. . . England's First Lord of the Admiralty goes to the dubious length of warning America that if England does not whip Germany this country must essay the task. On the other side the Yellow Peril is invoked as a means of awakening our sympathies.

It is unlikely, the "Press," thinks, that all this will influence President Wilson.

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THE GERMAN MENACE.

The "Sun" ridicules the alleged plan of a supposed officer of the German General Staff for the conquest of the United States published in a London newspaper, and says:—

Germany, it is reasonably safe to say, has no designs on this country save peaceful competition and negotiations. Least of all need we look for hostility from her for many years, whether she win or lose the present tremendous struggle.

The warning thus conveyed, although primarily concerns Germany, should not be neglected by the Allies. Especially is this the case in view of the comparatively unsolicited support which our cause continues to obtain.

The "World" publishes an impressive leader upon President Wilson's proclamation asking that the first Sunday of next month should be set aside as a day of prayer for peace. The President, says the "World," intimated that the ignorance of men is responsible for war.

That is not so. Germany is not ignorant. Austria is not ignorant. These two great Powers entered on the war deliberately. . . . The war-makers of Europe do not need instructions. They need the fear of God in their hearts. We have but one amendment to suggest to the President's proclamation, and that is that every prayer in America should be for the success of Right.

The "New York Times" excoriates German inconsistency for protesting against China's allowing her neutrality to be violated after what Germany herself has done in Belgium.

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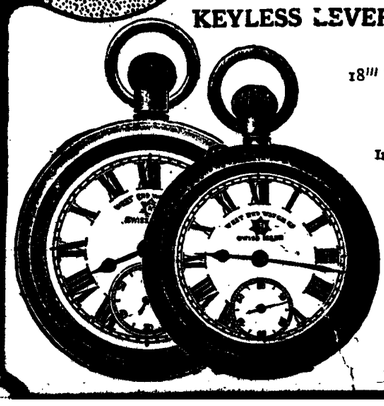

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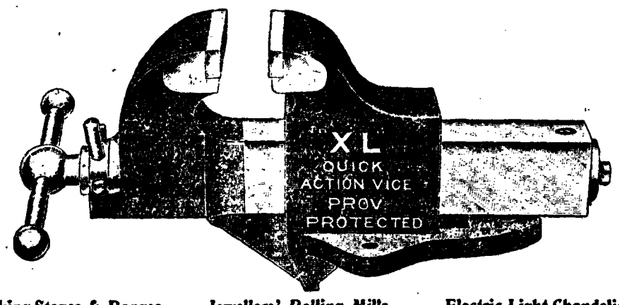

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On the reassembling of Parliament on September 9, both Houses were informed of the magnificent offers of service and money made in India to the Viceroy, says "The Times."

The outstanding features of an epoch-making recital were the selection of many Princes and nobles for active service, the acceptance of contingents from 12 States, the combination of various durbars to provide a hospital ship, gifts of horses, camels, and money for the purchase of machine-guns, and an offer by the Dalai Lama of 1,000 Tibetan troops for service.

The House of Commons was aroused to a high pitch of grateful enthusiasm on the afternoon of September 9, by the reading of the Viceroy of India's telegram. The story which Mr. Charles Roberts had to unfold to the House was unlike anything which had ever been heard in the Imperial Parliament. It fell on the ears like a romance from the East, with all its variety, movement, and colour. It was accepted as one of the finest tributes ever paid to the Imperial ideal.

Mr. Roberts told how the rulers of the Native States, numbering, nearly 700 in all, have offered their personal services and the resources of their States for the war. The Viceroy has selected many Princes and nobles for active service. The veteran Sir Pertab Singh, Regent of Jodhpur, would not be denied his right to serve the King-Emperor in spite of his 70 years; his nephew, the Maharaja, who is but 16 years old, goes with him. Twenty-seven of the larger States in India maintain Imperial service troops and the services of every corps were placed at the disposal of the Government.

Several specially notable instances of the generosity and eager loyalty of the Chiefs were warmly cheered as the gallant recital continued. There were 50 lakhs of rupees, a third of a million pounds sterling from the Maharaja of Mysore, the hospital ship Loyalty, the Chief of Gwalior's offer of large sums of money and of thousands of horses as remounts, and promises of camels with drivers from the Punjab and Balochistan. The Maharaja of Rewa has offered his troops, his treasury, and even his private jewelery for the service of the King-Emperor.

The House was profoundly moved by tidings of loyal messages and offers from Chitral and the Khyber tribes, and from the Nepal Durbar, beyond the borders of India. The most thrilling stroke came towards the end. The House heard with frank amazement, but with unbounded delight, that the Dalai Lama has offered 1,000 Tibetan troops for service under the British Government. The Viceroy added that lamas innumerable throughout the length and breadth of Tibet are offering prayers for the success of the British Army and for the happiness of the souls of all victims of the war. There was round upon round of cheers when an end was made of the reading of this unexampled document. Mr. Will Thorne supplied the most appropriate commentary "Send a copy to the Kaiser," he suggested to the Prime Minster, amid general laughter.

Lord Crew read the dispatch in the House of Lords, together with the King-Emperor's stirring Message to the Princes and peoples of India, with its grateful recognition of "their prodigal offers of their lives and their resources in the cause of the realm."

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Mr. H. Curtis Bennett said the defendant now desired to express his regret for having done what he did, and offered to give a fresh undertaking not to repeat the offence.

The Recorder said it was quite clear that Lord Alfred Douglas's recognisances were not worth the paper they were written on.

The sentence of the Court was that he should enter into his own recognisances in £500, and find two sureties of £250 each, the defendant to remain in custody for 48 hours until the police were satisfied as to the sureties. Failing to finding of satisfactory sureties, the defendant would go to prison for six months.

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St. Mary the Blessed Virgin, Parel.—Chaplain—Rev. H. Martindale, 8 a.m. Matins; 8-30 a.m. Holy Communion; 5-15 p.m. Sunday School; 6-30 p.m. Evensong and Sermon. Preacher: Rev. H. Martindale.

Afghan Memorial Church, Colaba.—Chaplain: Rev. C. E. de Coetlogon; 8 a.m., Holy Communion; 10 a.m., Parade Service; 5-15 p.m., Sunday School; 6-30 p.m. Evening Service.

Emmanuel Church, Girgaum.—Clergy: Rev. Canon R. S. Heywood, Rev. H. W. Lea-Wilson, Rev. T. W. Sharpley, Rev. Canon D. L. Joshi and Rev. L. Hari, 8 a.m. Holy Communion; 11 a.m., Morning Prayer, Litany and Sermon; 6-30 p.m. Evening Prayer and Sermon Collection for Church expenses and Poor, Marathi Service 9 a.m., Gujerati Service 2-30 p.m.

St. Paul's Kamatipura (S. P. G.), Foras Road—Clergy: Rev. A. J. P. French, M.A., (Hindustani). Rev. J. Martin (Tamil). 7-30 a.m. Matins, Litany and Holy Communion (Urdu); 10 a.m., Matins, Litany and Holy Communion alternately (Tamil); 5 p.m., Evensong (Urdu).

All Saints Church, Malabar Hill. 8 a.m. Matins; 8-30 a.m. Holy Communion; 6-30 p.m. Even-song.

Christ Church, Byculla.—Clergy:, Rev. R. C. V. Hodge. 7-30 a.m. Holy Communion; 8-30 a.m. Holy Communion (Choral) 5-15 p.m. Sunday School; 6-30 p.m. Evensong and Sermon.

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Holy Trinity Church, Hornby Road. Clergy: Rev. A. L. Bradbury. 8 a.m., Matins and Litany; 8-30 a.m., Holy Communion; 6-30 p.m. Evensong and Sermon.

Holy Cross, Umarkadi (Chapel of Ease to St. Peter).—Clergy: Rev. Father Moore; Rev. J. H. Lord and Rev. J. Londhe. 6-30 a.m., Holy Communion (English), 7.30 Holy Communion and Sermon (Marathi); 9 a.m., Morning Prayer and Sermon (Guzarati); 6-30 p.m., Evening Service and Sermon (Marathi.)

St. Stephen the Martyr, Bandra Hill.—Chaplain: Rev. H. Martindale. 11 a.m., shortened Matins and Holy Communion.

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Bowen Memorial Methodist Episcopal Church Lansdowne Road, Apollo Bunder—Pastor: Rev. A. N. Warner, M.A.—11 a.m., Morning Service. Preacher: Rev. A. N. Warner; 6-30 p.m. Evening Service. Preacher: Rev. H. Wark of Calcutta.

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St. Anne's Byculla.—Clergy: The Jesuit Fathers; Vicar, Rev. Father Hutemacher, S. J.—6.30 a.m., 7-30 a.m., 8-30 a.m., 6-30 p.m.

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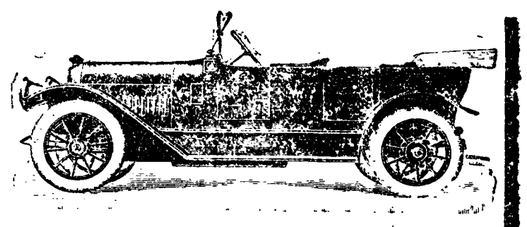

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